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THIRTEENTH SESSION

Paris, 1-12 June 1937.

GENERAL PROCEEDINGS

First Section: WAY AND WORKS.

INAUGURAL MEETING

June 2nd, 1937.

PROVISIONAL CHAIRMAN: THE RIGHT HON. LORD ROCKLEY, MEMBER OF THE PERMANENT COMMISSION OF THE ASSOCIATION.

— The Meeting opened at 9 a.m.

The Chairman. — Gentlemen, I have been requested by the Permanent Commission to preside over the opening Meeting of the 1st Section and to make up its Secretariat.

On behalf of the Permanent Commission, I suggest that Sir Ralph Wedgwood, Chief General Manager, London and

North Eastern Railway, be elected as *President*. (Applause.)

As Sir Ralph Wedgwood will not arrive before to night or to-morrow, I shall, with your approval, preside over your debates during his absence.

As Vice-Presidents, I propose to appoint:

Mr. Y. HASHIGUCHI, Chief of the Rail-

way Research Service, Japanese Government Railways;

Sir Walter Nugent, Chairman, Great

Southern Railways (Ireland);

Bulgarian State Railways,

Mr. Mellissinos, General Manager of the Hellenic State Railways;

the Hellenic State Railways;
Mr. Philipoff, Chief Engineer of the

and as *Principal Secretary*: Mr. J. Dubus, Engineer, Permanent Way De-

partment of the Belgian National Railways Company. (Marks of approval and applause.)

- The Section, following the President's proposal, subsequently completed its Bureau and drew up a provisional agenda.
 - The Meeting was then closed.

Revision of the Rules and Regulations of the International Railway Congress Association.

— The Meeting was reopened at 9.30.

The President. — Before dealing with Question 1, we have to take a decision as to the alterations to Articles 2 and 4 of the Rules and Regulations of our Association, proposed by the Permanent Commission.

(The proposed alterations were read out.) (*).

I hope this Section will agree as to

these modifications, the object of which is to facilitate the admission of new Members.

— The Section unanimously expressed its agreement.

Furthermore, in compliance with Article 21 of the Rules and Regulations, we have to appoint a delegate to the Special Committee entrusted with the examination of the proposed revision.

I suggest that Sir Ralph Wedgwood be appointed in this capacity. (Applause.)

— The Section then passed on to the discussion of Question I.

^(*) See wording of the proposed alterations in the September 1937 number of this *Bulletin*, p. 1962 (Summary of Proceedings, Paris Congress, 1937).

QUESTION 1.

The construction of modern track to carry heavy loads at high speeds, and methods of modernising old track for such loads and speeds.

Facing points whigh can be taken at high speeds.

Preliminary documents.

Report (Bulgaria, Egypt, Spain, France and Colonies, Greece, Italy, Portugal and Colonies, Rumania, Czechoslovakia, Turkey and Jugoslavia), by H. Flament. (See *Bulletin*, December 1936, p. 1447, or special issue No. 10.)

Report (Germany, Austria, Belgium and Colony, Denmark, Finland, Hungary, Luxemburg, Norway, Netherlands and Colonies, Poland, Sweden and Switzerland), by C. Lemaire. (See *Bulletin*, Fe-

bruary 4937, p. 357, or special issue No. 48.)

Report (America, Great Britain, Dominions and Colonies, China and Japan), by T. Yamada and Y. Hashiguchi. (See *Bulletin*, March 1937, p. 503, or special issue No. 20.)

Special Reporter: H. Flament. (See Bulletin, June 1937, p. 1487.)

DISCUSSION BY THE SECTION.

Meeting held on the 2nd June, 1937.

THE RIGHT HON, LORD ROCKLEY IN THE CHAIR.

- The Meeting was opened at 9.45 a.m.

The President (in French). — I will call upon Mr. Flament, the Special Reporter.

Mr. Flament, Special Reporter (in French). — First of all, I wish to congratulate and thank each of my colleagues, Messrs. Lemaire, Yamada and Has-

HIGUCHI for their valuable contributions of data, information and ideas in the three reports which I will have the honour of summing up.

The problem covered by Question I is extremely vast and complicated; it concerns three Departments, the Operating, on account of the traffic, Rolling Stock and Traction on account of the effects of the vehicles on the track, and finally the

Permanent Way on account of the problems it has to solve to deal with the traffic and running of the trains.

Each of the reports contains various information concerning at one and the same time the rolling stock, the locomotives, the permanent way on which they run, and the traffic with which it has to deal.

In my special report I summed up the principal data and the sum total of the detailed information available in this connection. This problem, like all others of the kind, comprises causes, effects and solutions.

The causes are known to everyone; they result from the fact that, in addition to the static problem which has been studied up to the present, there are dynamic problems which so far are little known but the effects of which are of great importance.

The *effects*: We are only just beginning, here and there, to appreciate them, and even to measure and record them.

The solutions are the arrangements made to ensure the necessary traffic being worked with the rolling stock available. These solutions have not always been fully explained in all the reports or by the details supplied by the various railways. During these discussions, I wish the Delegates of the railways who work the heaviest and fastest traffic over their system would explain to us, if need be, the measures taken as well as the reasons why such measures as have made it possible to work this traffic satisfactorily were taken.

In my special report I stressed the difference there is in particular between the traffic of certain North American Railways and the European Railways in the case of the loads supported by the track and the speeds utilised. I think it would be of practical value if those who have achieved such results with complete safety made known the means employed to this end.

My special report ends with the summaries I considered might logically be formulated, and these I submit for approval to the Section.

The President (in French). — Mr. Flament will now read in turn each of the Summaries from his special report.

Mr. Flament. — Summary 1:

1. Except on the Railways in North America, where the axle load reaches 35 tons, the general limit is 20 tons. The tendency of the rolling stock designers at the present time is to make it 20 to 25 tons, according to the Railways concerned.

The speed of 120 km. (75 miles) and hour, the usual maximum for a long time for passenger trains, has been exceeded in many cases. The tendency at the present time is to authorize speeds of about 150 km. (93 miles) an hour for ordinary trains, and 160 km. (100 miles) an hour for railcars and rail motor trains.

Under these conditions the track stresses will henceforth include an increasing part due to the dynamic effects of the loads moving at high speeds. It is desirable, for this reason, that these dynamic effects should be investigated by means of experiments, tests and measurements in all the fields in which they may show themselves, both to guide the builders in finding suitable ways of balancing and distributing the forces, and to appreciate the stresses the track must be effectively able to stand.

The President (in French). — Does anyone wish to say anything?

Mr. Bouteloup, Midi Railways, France (in French). — I should like an explanation about Messrs. Yamada and Hashi-

guchi's report which gives, in Table 6, (page 215 of the Special English issue of the Report) information about « the ratio of the lateral bending stress to the vertical bending stress in the rail foot ». I want to know if these are the results of calculations or of experiments, and if, as I think, they are the latter, how the measurements have been made.

Mr. Horikoshi, Japanese Government Railways (in French). — They are experimental results, not calculated ones.

The President (in French). — Are there any remarks about Summary 1?

Mr. Lemaire, Reporter. — Mr. President, Mr. Flament began by congratulating his co-reporters. I am sure the Section will be unanimous in congratulating Mr. Flament in turn. Mr. Flament has not only written a report himself, but he has also been good enough to take on the arduous and difficult task of summing up the three reports. These reports cover 300 pages in all, and I think that we in our turn should thank Mr. Flament and congratulate him on the clear and concise report which sums up the question so well.

As regards the summaries, I think the problem should be divided up. We are actually dealing with the three following questions:

- 1. The constructions of modern track;
- 2. The methods of modernising old track;
- 3. the way points which can be taken at high speeds, should be designed and built.

I propose therefore to begin by examining the summaries dealing with the construction of modern track, taking into

account the load, and the problem of modern traction.

In his summaries, Mr. Flament sums up the question by saying that there is a very marked difference between the policies pursued by European and by American Railways. If any Americans are present I should like to know the special reasons which led the New World to adopt appreciably higher axle loads than ours. I think this would be very interesting.

Mr. FLAMENT says with reason that in Europe the axle loads at present lie between the limits of 20 and 25 tons.

In view of this fact, does not the Section think it advisable to make certain recommendations, amongst others that it is desirable, as far as the track is concerned, that the load of 20 or 25 tons should not be exceeded? Here we are track technicians, and from the point of view of the track I think this limit should not be exceeded; it is up to the Traction Department to defend itself and explain why it must exceed this limit.

I would like to ask the same question and put forward the same recommendation about the maximum speed of 450 to 460 km. (93 to 400 miles) an hour. The Permanent Way Department does not wish the speed to exceed 450 or 460 km.

As Mr. Flament aptly says, very thorough theoretical and practical investigations should be made into the effect on the track of the axle loads and the speed, so as to show the fatigue conditions of modern track.

In short, as regards the first paragraphs of Mr. Flament's summaries, I would like the Section to consider whether it would not be advisable to recommend that the axle load should not exceed 20 to 25 tons and the speed 450 or

160 km. in view of the conditions of fatigue of the track.

We might then examine in turn the different characteristics of the track and also see what conditions it should fulfil to meet modern railway operating requirements.

The President. — Does anyone else wish to speak?

Mr. Sherrington, London and North Eastern Railway. — I am not an American railway officer, but as the American engineers are not here in strength, and I have spent a long time in America, perhaps one or two words from me will be useful.

The problem, as I see it from an American operating point of view, is that the loads there are so much greater than on the Continent of Europe, because in America they are not regulated by length of platforms in the case of passenger trains, and the labour laws are such that it is more convenient and more profitable to utilise very long trains. I have read the report of each of the Reporters, and I think they have omitted to mention the fact that some of the heavier freight trains on the American railroads weigh 15 000 tons behind the locomotive. That is the maximum I think I have met. For a load of this kind, you must have a very heavy locomotive, and I think there is some bearing between the problem of the spacing of the sleepers and strength of track, also depth of ballast, that you will find on the main line of the Pennsylvania Railroad, and the weight of the axle load.

Last year I travelled on the « Hiawatha » (Chicago Milwaukee St. Paul and Pacific Railway), a very fast train which attained a speed of 102 miles per hour for eleven miles and the movement was perfect — one could write legibly on the locomotive. For this type of train the axle load is necessarily heavy, but the track is no heavier than exists in Europe.

Mr. Driessen, Netherlands Rys. (in French). — I think that the question raised by Mr. Lemaire as to why the weight of locomotives is less in Europe than in America can easily be answered. In my opinion it is a matter of loading gauge.

In America the loading gauge is larger than in Europe, and I think that if we used as large a gauge as the New World, our builders and engineers would not hesitate to increase the weight of our loco-

motives.

We, permanent way engineers, can be thankful that this is not the case, but I am sure that if it was possible to do so it would be done. This is why the weight of the rolling stock is limited to an axle load of 25 tons.

I would like to reply to another of Mr. Lemaire's remarks: he said he is quite satisfied with a speed of 450 km. (93 miles) an hour. I too am satisfied, but I do not think this is a question of personal preference, but rather an economic question, and the requirements of the users must be taken into account.

Mr. Miszke, Ministry of Communications, Poland (in French). — The American railways owned eight-wheeled goods wagons at the beginning, which explains the heavy load of the trains. On the other hand, especially in the Western districts, the system consisted of single-track lines with the stations very far apart. Afterwards automatic couplings were introduced with a tractive capacity of as much as 80 tons, which led to the construction of heavy locomotives.

As a result of certain serious acci-

dents, the law required passenger stock to be made of steel, which led to very heavy axle loads. The weight of the trains is as much as 1500 short tons in the case of passenger trains, and 15 000 short tons in the case of goods trains. The rails, however, are not excessively heavy, except on the Pennsylvania Railroad and some other railways where rails of 152 lb. per vard (64.5 kgr./m.) are used. The use of 2000 to 2100 sleepers per kilometre (3 220 to 3 380 per mile) is current practice. In the Western ditricts where the trains are always very long, the weight of the rails is 100 lb. per vard (49.6 kgr./m.).

Dr. Müller, Deutsche Reichsbahn (in German). — In the case of the Deutsche Reichsbahn the following facts were observed last year. It is perhaps little known that some lines of our system are now equipped for speeds of 200 km. (125 miles) an hour. Now, the calculations we have made show that rolling loads, such as railcars, running at high speeds, require above all very careful lining up of the track both in plan and in elevation. In the case of fast railcars reaching speeds of 150 to 180 km. (93 to 112 miles) an hour, the laying of the track must be perfect. We use rails of 30, 40, 50 and 60 kgr./m. (60,5, 80.6, 100.8) and 121 lb. per vard) on wooden sleepers and a 45-cm. (47 3/4 inches) layer of ballast. The track must be perfectly horizontal in section. When such track is run over by heavy goods trains, it is these which damage it. A heavy goods train running at a low speed can make the best of a bad track, but not a railcar running at 160 to 180 km. (100 to 112 miles) an hour; the two are incompatible. For this reason in Germany we have adopted the principle of grouping

the lines in two categories: express lines for high speeds and goods lines for heavy loads and low speeds. This system is already in force on some lines of the system. It is true that it cannot be applied in every case, for example between Paris and Nice. We have begun in Germany by reserving the Berlin-Elsterwerda-Dresden line for high speeds and the Berlin-Röderau-Dresden line for slow goods trains, and at the present time the division of the whole system in this way is being investigated. We also have four-track lines for separate goods and passenger trains. On other lines the goods trains have to go by a route different from that of the fast trains, unless this involves excessive detours. We have fully appreciated the difficulties involved in this system in Germany, and we have found that the fast light railcars or light trains require a track of the very highest class. But the most important question of all is this: what is the maximum speed for curves? Opinions are divided on this point. In Germany the following formula is generally used: V = 4.5 \overline{R} (V in km./h. and R in m.) for fast railcars and $V = 4.25 \sqrt{R}$ for steam trains.

Mr. Flament (in French). — I would like to remind Dr. Müller that the reports which were drawn up on the question we are now considering include in the appended tables all the necessary data about the speeds allowed by the different railways in the case of express trains.

As regards the French Nord Railway in particular, I would like to say that we do not use any mathematical formula for calculating beforehand the speed through a curve of a given radius. We allow up to 120 km. (75 miles) an hour through curves of 500 m. (25 chains)

radius, and up to 140 km. (87 miles) an hour through curves of 800 m. (40 chains) radius.

Between 120 and 140 km. the speed is scaled according to the radius of the curves. These figures are only the maxima, as we consider that curves cannot satisfactorily be run through at high speed unless the layout is perfect, i.e. the radius absolutely constant, but also the superelevation regular and sufficient, and the transition both unto and off the curve carefully calculated and sufficiently progressive to avoid any shock to passing vehicles.

The figures I quoted above, which are the maxima allowed, must be proved in practice, and it is only after tests repeated as many times as necessary and as minute and complete as possible adjustments, that the speeds quoted above are authorised.

Mr. Bouteloup (in French). — I would like to add a few words to Mr. Flament's remarks and give Dr. Müller particulars of the theoretical arguments on which the French Railways have based their speed limits.

A given superelevation can balance the centrifugal force corresponding to a given speed, but not be very suitable for other speeds. Consequently a compromise has to be used.

In practice the French Railways have fixed a maximum superelevation — which is not quite the same everywhere — of 180 mm. (7 3/32 inches) on the P.O.-Midi and 200 mm. (7 7/8 inches) on the Nord. In the case of the Midi System, I have found regulations codified some 40 years ago, and which were originally as follows: a superelevation was selected which would balance the average centrifugal force of the fastest train, and the slowest, i.e. a stopped train.

I will explain this more fully: If the superelevation is taken as 180 mm. (7 3/32 inches), we found that when the train is stopped the passengers feel no discomfort, whereas the train at full speed would require 360 mm. (14 3/16 inches) of superelevation if the centrifugal force were to be completely balanced, and this is unacceptable.

In this way we got a track which stands up well to the fastest and slowest trains; the very fast train crushed the outer line of rails, and the very slow train crushed the inner line, and, generally speaking, this compromise was satis-

factory.

For some years we have been electrifying our system. At the present time half the Midi Railway is electrified. Very high speeds have become the usual practice; high-speed electric traction costs less than high-speed steam traction, so that the passenger trains are generally run near the maximum speed, 100 km. (62 miles) an hour and over.

The proportional influence of the fast trains having increased, the outer line of rails underwent the most fatigue, and we had to increase the superelevation by one quarter instead of halving it. Consequently on the electrified lines the superelevation represents one quarter more than the average centrifugal force to which the track is exposed. Our superelevations which used to be calculated

more or less by the formula $\frac{5.9 \text{ V}^2}{R}$ or $\frac{6 \text{ V}^2}{R}$ are based on the formula $\frac{7.5 \text{ V}^2}{R}$ on the electrified lines.

Mr. Lévi, French State Railways (in French). — To answer Dr. MÜLLER's question, and because I wish to contribute to the subject of the speeds admis-

sible on curves, I would like to explain the method used by the French State Railways.

For some ten years we have introduced the idea of the amount of superelevation lacking as the factor governing the allowable speed. This lack of superelevation is fixed at 150 mm. (6 inches) on curves of 500 m. (25 chains) radius or over.

The long experience of the French State Railways, whose system includes a very great number of curves, and the many tests with Hallade and Mauzin apparatus and quartz accelerographs have confirmed the value of this practice and made it possible to reach certain conclusions.

The first conclusion to be drawn from this experience is that in the case of an ordinary train a lack of superelevation of the order of 450 mm., which corresponds to 0.10 for the figures given in Mr. Lemaire's report, gives rise to no anxiety in the case of curves of 500 m. radius or more.

This insufficiency in fact does not aftect the comfort, compromise the safety, nor increase to any appreciable extent the cost of maintenance.

It would even seem to be proved that if the lack of superelevation is reasonable, the behaviour of the track is better, seeing that hunting is prevented to some extent by the pressure on the outer line of rails.

A second practical conclusion is that to estimate the speed at which the superelevation becomes insufficient, calculations based on the theoretical radius of the curves are not enough, but the curvature and superelevation have to be measured throughout the whole of the curve. This has been done on the French State, where each curve is covered by a graph showing the superelevations and the versines, so that the correspondence of the superele-

vations and the versines can be verified absolutely on all main line curves.

A third conclusion, resulting from the previous one, is that the maximum profit can be made of a curve on condition that the curvature and the superelevation are proportional at every point, which necessitates a simultaneous examination of these two elements, thanks to the use of the versines method. With these precautions — a thorough study of the layout, and a direct comparison of the curvature and the superelevation — it has been found possible, on the State System, to allow a considerable increase in the speeds whilst obtaining a definite improvement in the behaviour of the stock on the track.

This result is an integral part of the methods adopted to correct the location. It might be of interest to point out that we have always been led, following the example given by Hallade, to end the transitions in « doucines », i.e. not only the curve of the location but the derived curves are varied gradually.

If there are no « doucines » in the transitions, experiments prove that there is some irregularity of movement, whether of coaches, locomotives, engines or rail-cars, and this irregularity is more noticeable and more important in its consequences than any insufficiency in the superelevation itself.

To sum up: the insufficiency of superelevation can be fairly large, about 150 mm. (6 inches), for ordinary trains, and still higher in the case of railcars provided that it has been checked throughout and the layout, as well as the superelevation, changes sufficiently gently.

Dr. Müller (in German). — In Germany the insufficiency of superelevation is 90 mm. (3' 47/32'') corresponding to the formula $h = \frac{41.8 \text{ V}^2}{\text{B}} - 90 \text{ [mm.]}$.

Mr. Bouteloup (in French). — I would like to ask Dr. MÜLLER for some further details about a very interesting fact he mentioned, i.e. that on one of the ultrahigh speed lines of the Reichsbahn, the track did not stand up well to heavy trains.

I would like to know what ill effects these heavy trains had on this track; if these were apparent in the straight or curved section; if it was a question of one line of rails sinking more than the other, or of fatigue in the fastenings. Has it been possible to make distinctions of this kind in Germany already?

Dr. Müller (in German). — From the observations we have made it appears that the alignment of the track, even in curves, is not affected to any appreciable extent by the rolling loads, but the position is very different as regards the wear of the rails, and consequently of the levelling up of the track which is badly affected by heavy slow trains, so that the maintenance work becomes very complicated and difficult. We have to go over these lines every year, whereas every three years is sufficient elsewhere. The ballast has to be packed more frequently, which is costly, and the wear of the rails is very rapid. As regards the alignment, the effect on the creep is not very important, but the action of the express trains is greater than that of the slow trains.

Mr. Couillié, Midi Railways (in French). — Mr. Lévi stated just now that on the French State a lack of superelevation of 450 mm. (6 inches) was the usual practice.

I find in Mr. Lemaire's report that the formulæ applied on many railways for the determination of the maximum speed depend on a fixed maximum lack of superelevation (90 mm. = 3 17/32" on the German railways).

In fact, for it to be run through at a given speed the superelevation on curved track should be such that that part of the centrifugal force which is not made good by the superelevation remains below a definite value.

I do not think this notion by itself is sufficient to characterise the quality of a curve and its transitions. Messrs. Baumann and Jaehn have already pointed this out at the Cairo Congress. They asked that another formula should be considered, which also takes into account the centrifugal force not made good by the superelevation as well as the slopes of the superelevation gradient; this formula was adopted in the Cairo proceedings.

On the Midi Railway for some years we have used a formula which more or less agrees with that of Messrs Baumann and JAEHN. It is based on the following facts: when running through a curve of constant radius, the passenger has no difficulty in adapting himself to a centrifugal force not compensated by the superelevation. He only has to take up a position slightly inclined to the vehicle. Once he has done this, he is just as comfortable as on the straight. The difficulty is to change from the position he is in on the straight — the normal position in relation to the floor of the vehicle — to the oblique position he has to take up on a curve if the superelevation does not exactly balance the centrifugal force.

Consequently, as soon as the transition has been reached, he has to make a certain effort, which causes him some fatigue, to keep in a satisfactory position all the time; it is this effort that has been expressed by a simple formula in which the centrifugal force, the superelevation, and the slope of the superelevation gradient as well as the radius of the curve are all factors.

We calculated the average value per second, while running through the transition, of the centrifugal force not compensated by the superelevation corresponding to the progressive change from the normal position on the straight to the balanced position on the curve. We then endeavoured to find what limit should be assigned to the value obtained in this way.

When reduced to its varying factors, this formula may be taken as:

$$\frac{p}{a^2} \frac{V}{R} (V^2 - a^2)^2 \quad . \quad (1)$$

in which

p is the slope of the superelevation gradient;

R, the radius of the curve;

V, the actual running speed;

a, the running speed at which, on a curve of radius R, the centrifugal force is exactly compensated by the superelevation.

Using the same notations, Messrs, Baumann and Jaehn's formula may be written:

$$\frac{p V}{a^2} (V^z - a^2). \qquad . \qquad . \qquad . \qquad (2)$$

and the two formulæ (1) and (2) can be related to the more general formula:

$$\frac{p \operatorname{V} \operatorname{R}}{a^2} \left(\frac{\operatorname{V}^2 - a^2}{\operatorname{R}} \right)^n$$

p being expressed in millimetres per metre, R in metres, V and a in km./h.; the highest limit for the formula

$$\frac{p^{\mathbf{V}}}{a^2}$$
 (V² - a^2)²

can in our opinion, after making many observations, be fixed at 1 000 (or perhaps at 1 200).

Several layouts on which this maximum was definitely exceeded have been altered to comply with it. The results obtained have been very satisfactory.

The President (in French). — The general discussion on Summary 1 being finished, does the Section agree to adopting it in its present form?

— Summary 1 was unanimously adopted.

Mr. Flament (in French). — I would like to thank Mr. Lemaire once more for his very kind remarks about me. I would like to recall that he wished to add to this summary the recommendation that the permanent way department should limit the tonnage of vehicles and the speeds.

Should this text be added or the recommendation be abandoned?

Mr. Ridet, French Est Railways (in French). — Has Mr. Lemaire drawn up a summary for our consideration? Could he do so at this meeting?

Mr. Dubus, Principal Secretary. — If the Section agree, we could go back to this proposal at to-morrow's meeting.

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — I merely raised the question; it is for the Meeting to decide. Mr. Flament's summaries are quite sufficient but, as a permanent-way engineer, I ask if it would not be as well to state that in Europe we cannot go on increasing the axle load nor the speed.

If the Section thinks Mr. Flament's summaries meet the case, I will not insist

The President (in French). — The text of summary 1 is consequently unanimously adopted. (Agreed.)

Mr. Flament (in French). — I will now read the other summaries dealing with the first part of Question 1, i.e. those numbered 2,3,4 and 5 in the special report.

The President (in French). — In my opinion we can examine summaries 3, 4 and 5 together.

Mr. Flament, - Summary 2:

2. The heavy loads and high speeds impose upon the present-day rail metal a stress which in most cases it would be difficult to increase without affecting the behaviour and life of rails.

The weight of the rails on the most heavily loaded lines in Europe is about 50 kgr./m. (100 lb. per yard). There are still differences of opinion as to the desirability of increasing the weight of the rails to meet the increasing stress resulting from the loads and speeds.

The length of the rails and the types of rail joint vary much, according to the Railways. The conditions of use of extralong rails are still under investigation and cannot be determined exactly at present.

Summary 3:

3. The wooden sleeper is the most suitable for very high speeds. Increasing the sleepering is one of the methods which contribute to the strengthening of the track in order to enable it to carry the heavier loads with the least damage.

Vehicles running at high speed under satisfactory conditions as regards comfort and safety require the track to be perfectly level as well as in good alignment and correct to gauge. These conditions can only be fulfilled if the fastenings securing the rails to the sleepers are perfectly maintained and tightened up. The use of bearing plates between the rails and the sleepers, with suitable fastening devices, is the general practice on many Railways and appears desirable, at least in those parts of the track which include curves of small radius.

Summary 4:

4. By increasing the depth of the ballast, the loads can be better distributed on the track. The ballast should be homogeneous and of good permeability, and consist of broken stone, the dimensions of which should not exceed 6 to 7 cm. (23/8" to 23/4").

The roadbed should be sound and properly drained to prevent water remaining on the ground in cases in which its permeability is known to be poor.

Summary 5:

5. Advantage should be taken of the opportunity offered by track overhaul or renewal work, for modernising old track and obtaining the conditions stated above.

The alignment and levelling up of the track should be perfect in view of the speeds now run. Curves and their transitions should be very carefully laid, and be maintained and corrected as often as necessary.

Mr. Stoïka, Rumanian State Railways (in French). — In Summary 3, it is said in the second sentence of paragraph 1 that: « Increasing the sleepering is one of the methods which contribute to the strengthening of the track in order to enable it to carry heavier loads with the least damage. »

I think this sentence might be completed as follows: « and to give it a better resistance to the lateral forces caused by the high speeds », seeing that increasing the sleepering is of importance not only in the case of heavy loads, but also for the lateral stresses which increase with high speeds.

In addition, in Summary 4 it says:

« By increasing the depth of the ballast, the loads can be better distributed on the track. »

I think this sentence might be changed as follows: « Increasing the depth of the ballast enables a better distribution to be obtained of the loads and the vertical forces sustained by the track. »

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Mr. Lemaire (in French). — As the various points have already been amply discussed, and in view of the lateness of

the hour, I think the examination of Question I had better be continued at our meeting to-morrow.

— The Section agreed to this and the meeting ended at 12 noon.

Meeting of the 3rd June 1937.

THE RIGHT HON. LORD ROCKLEY IN THE CHAIR.

The President (in French). — Gentlemen, we will return to the discussion of Summaries 2, 3, 4 and 5 which Mr. Flament read out at the end of yesterday's meeting.

Mr. Flament (in French). — It will be remembered that Mr. Stoïka proposed to make an addition to Summary 3, alluding to the influence of increasing the sleepering on the forces set up in the track by high speeds.

In my opinion his amendment might be completed by including the *vertical* forces as well, so that the text would then read: « ... and to offer a better resistance to the lateral and vertical forces caused by the high speeds. »

The speed in fact does not only involve a risk of deforming the track laterally, but also of deforming it vertically.

I suggest therefore adopting the text I have just read.

Then, regarding the proposed modification to the first sentence of Summary 4 tending to add the words: « and the vertical forces », I think the Section will agree to this, so that the new wording will be:

« Increasing the thickness of the layer of ballast enables a better distribution to be obtained of the loads and vertical forces sustained by the track when vehicles are passing over it. " This brings out clearly that increasing the depth of the ballast mainly has the effect of giving resistance to vertical pressures even more than closer sleepering increases the resistance to lateral pressures, by meeting the impact effects and the vertical shocks which are increased with higher speeds.

The President. — Are there any remarks?

Mr. Bouteloup (in French). — I have no objections to make about the addition suggested. I think it would be useful, however, to mention and throw light on one point brought out by the different reports: the spacing of the sleepers can be wider on lines with bull-headed rails.

The different reports show — and I am particularly anxious to get further information from our English colleagues — that in modern track on the Continent of Europe there are usually 1500, 1600 to 1800 sleepers per km. (2415, 2575 to 2900 sleepers per mile) on important lines.

On the other hand, according to Messrs. Yamada and Hashiguchi, in England there are usually only 1 300 sleepers per km. (2 090 sleepers per mile).

I think this is due to three reasons,

and I want confirmation thereon from our colleagues.

The first reason is that in a damp climate like the British Isles, very good ballast is necessary, and therefore the well-drained superstructure stands up to the loads very well.

Secondly, I think another reason is to be found in the metal used for the rails. At the beginning the railways laying rolled bull-headed rails used a very hard steel which was not suitable for flat-bot-tomed rolled rails. When the metal is 10 kgr./mm² (6.35 Engl. tons per sq. in.) harder, 10 kgr./mm² breaking resistance gives about 5 kgr./mm² (3.175 Engl. tons per sq. in.) increase in the elastic limit, of which advantage could be taken as regards the loads to be carried.

Thirdly, I think that the bull-headed rail superstructure has its weight increased very advantageously by the chairs and that the sleeper with two 20-kgr. (44 lb.) chairs fastened to it has its weight increased by one third or one half, and consequently, forming as it were an anvil, is better able to resist the hammerblows from the passing wheels.

All this explains the great difference between this kind of track and that of lines laid with Vignole rails. I think, therefore, that an observation on these lines might be included in the summaries:

« It has, however, been noticed that, everything else being equal, lines with bull-headed rails require fewer sleepers than lines laid with Vignole rails. As regards the hardness of the rail, with 10 kgr./mm² higher tensile strength, there is an increase of 5 kgr./mm² in the elastic limit. »

I may add that I do not know the quality of the English rail steel.

The President (in French). — Gentlemen, I am sorry I cannot preside any longer over this meeting, as I have to be present at the Meeting of the Permanent Commission.

I will therefore give place to my colleague, Sir Ralph Wedgwood, Chief General Manager of the London and North Eastern Railway, actual President of the first Section.

SIR RALPH LEWIS WEDGWOOD IN THE CHAIR.

Sir Ralph Wedgwood took his seat on the platform. (Applause.)

The President, — Gentlemen, I thank you for your kind appreciation. I call upon Mr. Wallace who wishes to make a statement...

Mr. Wallace, London Midland and Scottish Railway. — I am going to try to answer some of the questions which have been put by the previous speakers.

With regard to sleeper spacings, we have not thickened up the sleepering in

Great Britain for a number of years, but so far as the London Midland and Scottish Railway is concerned, we have test lengths now in the roads with a closer spacing of the sleepers, with about 2552 sleepers per mile as against 2112 sleepers per mile, which has been the traditional figure for a number of years, and this will bring our sleeper spacing more in line with Continental spacings. We do not space our sleepers in Great Britain because of the quality of the rail steel.

We have some trial lengths of flat-bot-

tom rails on the London Midland and Scottish Railway, and these rails are rolled to exactly the same specification as the bull-headed rails. With regard to chairs, I would not like to claim that the use of a chair gives us a fixed end and reduces the bending moment by that amount, although I should be very pleased to think so. Unfortunately, however, the facts are against us.

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — Summaries 2, 3 and 4 having already been dealt with to some extent yesterday, I think they can be adopted without further discussion, apart from a few remarks and recommendations I want to make.

In Summary 2, Mr. Flament says that "There are still differences of opinion as to the desirability of increasing the weight of the rails..."

I would like to hear from colleagues of the Paris-Lyon-Méditerranée who, I believe, have tested 62 or 63-kgr. (425 or 127 lb. per yard) rails, what they think, and if the use of heavier rails is to be recommended, although most European countries have adopted the standard rail of 45 to 50 kgr. (90.7 to 100.8 lb. per yard).

The question of very long rails, particularly of welded rails, is extremely interesting and has a direct bearing upon the increase of the speed, just as the constraint the rails have to be subjected to so that they can meet the thermic effects, are of the greatest importance because they are closely connected with the behaviour of the joint which is the subject of our preoccupations and represents the greatest part in our maintenance costs.

This problem has not been solved, and I would like to suggest that you recommend that it should be investigated at an Enlarged Meeting of the Permanent Commission, i.e. before the 1941 Congress, so that in two years time we can again consider the position, in all its bearings, of the question of the modern track, which is of primary importance.

As for Summary 4, I would like to call my colleagues' attention to the ballast question.

An increase in the speed means not only a deeper layer of ballast, but more severe acceptance tests for the ballast.

I suggest it should be stated that the ballast must be graded, homogenous, and of good permeability, and I should also like to specify an impact test before acceptance. This is already done, I believe, on the Deutsche Reichsbahn, and on the Belgian Railways. I should also like to call attention to the necessity for systematically providing closed-in locomotive ash-pans, save perhaps on systems where the electrification is completed or very nearly so, but on all those where steam traction will still be the rule for many years to come. I think the cost would be well justified.

The Belgian National Railways Company has spent 18 million francs on fitting such ash-pans, and we are completely satisfied with the results obtained. These 18 million francs in fact are thoroughly well invested. We no longer have any open ash-pans.

The result will be that the ballast will cost more on account of the severer acceptance tests, but will remain permeable much longer. It will not get clogged so quickly and therefore will meet one of the maintenance conditions of modern track: to have an ever permeable ballast.

I suggest therefore that the Section should recommend the systematic fitting of closed-in locomotive ash-pans in order to keep the ballast clean, permeable, unclogged, and consequently enable it to play its part in the maintenance of a modern track and its requirements.

I will not deal with the length of rails as no agreement has yet been reached on this point. There is a tendency no longer to go below 15 or 18 m. (49 ft. 2 1/2 in. or 59 ft. 5/8 in.). On the Belgian Railways the standard length is 27 m. (88 ft. 7 in.); in Germany it is 30 m. (98 ft. 5 1/8 in.). There are perhaps steelworks which are still unable to get sufficiently heavy ingots to draw out sufficiently long rails.

In Belgium we have got the steelworks to agree that the rails supplied in the future shall be 27 m. long.

The President (in French). — In my opinion, the latter point could be discussed in connection with Question II.

Mr. Desaleux, Paris-Lyon-Méditerranée Railways (in French). — I would like in the first place to answer Mr. Lemaire's enquiry about the 62-kgr. (125 lb. per yard) rail used on the P.L.M.

For a long time our main line from Paris to Marseilles has been run over by many express trains, 23 every day in each direction, and on certain days more than double this number run between Paris and Dijon.

Four years ago, we began to lay 62-kgr. rails, the first year on a 25 km. (15.5 miles) long section the second year on a 70-km. (43.5 miles) section, the third year on 90 km. (56 miles) and last year on more than 150 km. (93 miles), so that we now have about 350 km. (217.5 miles) in service. We expect to exceed 550 km. (342 miles) at the end of this year. Consequently though our experience is not very old, it is extensive and the figures I have just quoted prove that we have

found this rail, known as the « S-52 » completely satisfactory from the start. We hope to extend its use as fast as the steel works and our own resources permit.

All the engineers and all the heads of sections agree in thinking that this rail will lead to maintenance economies, and — we hope — to longer life as well as better behaviour of this track.

In the case of Summary 5, I suggest that the following paragraph be added, inspired by the remarks made yesterday by Mr. Lemaire and Dr. Müller:

« The state of perfection necessary in the maintenance to enable high speeds to be used involves considerable supplementary expenditure, and this expenditure must be taken into consideration when it is proposed to use such high speeds. »

Mr. Fraser, London and North Eastern Railway. — Much has been said in this discussion with regard to the materials of the track, but with the exception of the last gentleman, little has been said regarding how the track is going to be maintained under more difficult conditions. It would be very interesting to me to know what steps have been taken by the different railways in regard to teaching the staff employed on the track as to what they are to do to meet the more severe conditions and the newer methods we have under review.

One of the Reporters has said that high-speed vehicles have a destructive effect on the track in proportion to the square of the speed. That means with the maximum speeds run to-day, on high-speed lines we are going to get in the future about two-thirds of the life out of our materials as compared with that obtained in the past. I am reckoning now on a speed of 90 miles per hour as

against a present maximum speed of 80 miles per hour.

The L.N.E. Railway has, so far as the line and level are concerned, adopted a system of what is called monuments or pillars in the space between the two tracks.

On the Area for which I am responsible, we have found that, even with monuments, it is difficult to maintain the track under high speeds unless the spacing of these monuments is reduced to a minimum and in several cases we have had to increase the number in order to keep the spacing smaller; but even this has not proved to be a complete remedy.

We heard a good deal yesterday about formulæ for the superelevation. It is a very good thing to have these formulæ as a guide but in my opinion it is very much better that correct alignment and superelevation should be maintained as it is only by these means that we can arrive at steady and comfortable running.

I therefore wish to suggest that before adopting this Summary No. 4, we might get some further information with regard to the newer methods in contemplation to meet the increasing difficulties of high speeds.

Mr. Ridet (in French). — Like Mr. Fraser, I certainly think that we will have to devote more and more thought to the maintenance of our high-speed lines.

I think one of the best means is the use of inspection vehicles, many of which are already in use in Germany, Switzerland, France, and I believe in America.

The use of inspection vehicles has shown us that it is very difficult to peg out a curve; the most skilled maintenance gangs do not succeed in lining up curves properly and only the use of an inspection machine makes it possible to give them all the information needed for their work.

The principal indications given by the machine are, in the opinion of some engineers, the deformation or distortion of the track, i.e. the distance between a point and the plane through three others — this is rather hard to explain — the irregularities in the curve, and depressed joints.

The value of the superelevation only comes second from our point of view, and in this respect I agree with Mr. Fraser. It is not enough to fix the superelevation; it must be maintained.

Another useful indication is the gauge of the track. The method to be followed with the inspection vehicle is to select the best maintenance gang of a section and use them to instruct the less skilled gangs.

Dr. Müller (in German). — I also should like to answer Mr. Fraser. For some years in Germany fixed reference posts (monuments) have been used on all lines run over at high speeds, even on secondary lines. These reference posts consist of pieces of rail about 1.50 m. (4ft. 41 in.) long set in concrete and must be permanently fixed. They are located every 100 m. (328 ft.) on straight sections, every 30 to 45 m. (about 98 to 49 ft.) on curves, and every 10 m. (33 ft.) on transitions.

The maintenance of the track is the principal question. Ten years ago we were still carrying out maintenance as found necessary. To-day we deal with it systematically: every line is periodically gone over every two, three of four years. The ballast is of good quality. The maintenance is more strictly carried out. We do not merely remedy existing

faults, but also those in process of formation; we work in advance of requirements, and even correct faults which might possibly arise in the future; this is what we call systematic maintenance as opposed to maintenance where visibly necessary.

We have two inspection cars by means of which we check the state of the track. I published an article about these cars in the January 1937 number of the Bulletin (French edition) (*). The great advantage of these inspection cars is that they make it possible to check the condition of the track under load, for there is a great difference between the results obtained according as the track is checked in its static state or under a rolling load. Every year we systematically go over our most important lines by means of these inspection cars, and in this way we are able to know for certain from year to year if the condition of the track has improved or deteriorated. At the same time we can decide which gang is the best, and if the head of the section is carrying out his job properly. Generally speaking, we do everything systematically. We also have a school for training our permanent-way maintenance

Mr. Lemaire spoke about the length of the rails, and the ballast. You probably know that we have a laboratory for testing stone in Germany. The stone is examined by geologists and mineralogists, not only in laboratories, but also in the quarries, and mechanical resistance, elasticity, and resistance to atmospheric reactions tests are carried out. All kinds of stone are grouped into numbered classes; No. 100 for example denotes the best

quality. We have used this system for many years.

Regarding the length of rails, I would like to remark that this question has long been elucidated in Germany. We have used 30 m. (98 ft. 5 1/2 in.) long rails for the last ten years. We have about 40 000 km. (6 210 miles) of 30 m. long rails, and 1000 km, of track laid with 60 to 2000-m. (196 ft. 10 in. to 6560 ft.) rails. I remember how surprised everyone was at the Madrid (1930) Congress when I said that even then we were using in Germany long rails on a large scale. This question has just been gone into in detail, and I have heard with pleasure that other railways in their turn have recognised the advantages of such rails from the point of view of maintenance, comfortable running, etc... It would take too long to relate all the advantages.

The long rails are used on sections of line in tunnels. Their use will be given up in tunnels because it costs too much to lay them, and even to take them up. especially in tunnels, where their life is shorter than in the open. The 2000-m. long rail did not give the good results expected, because it is difficult to maintain lines in tunnels. The life of rails in tunnels, which are usually very damp. and consequently cause rust to form very quickly, is very short, and the rails have to be renewed, i.e. cut up, every 4 to 6 years, which is very costly. For this reason it has been decided that rails more than 60 m. (196 ft. 10 1/4 in.) long will not be used in tunnels in the future.

Mr. Ellson, Southern Railway (England). — There is one point I would make with regard to Summary 3. There is a statement made that the wooden sleeper is the most suitable for very high speeds. Unless there is a very strong objection, I do not think that the summary

^(*) See Bulletin of the Railway Congress, English Edition, October 1937 number, p. 1986.

should remain as it is. In England we have got beyond the experimental stage in using steel sleepers. There is a good mileage now on the Southern Railway laid with steel sleepers where we certainly have maximum speeds of 75 to 80 miles per hour and where we have daily a large number of trains. I think that most of the theething troubles have been overcome. We have now some very excellent welded sleepers which give very satisfactory results. We know that they have their limitations; we know for instance that we cannot use them at present where there are track circuits or in electrified areas, but we do not know of any objection to using them from the point of view of high speed.

If they are made suitably heavy, either by increasing the weight of the individual sleepers within limitations, or by putting in more sleepers per length of rail, I attach a great deal of importance to the inertia of the track and I think that is one of the advantages which the chaired roads in England have over the flat-bottom rails. I see no reason why they should not be run over at very high speeds.

There is one other point I would like to make, namely, to day the price of timber is rising very high, and we are told that timber is getting scarcer, and therefore I think that there is, in the use of steel sleepers, a possible alternative.

Mr. Flament (in French). — In reply to Mr. Ellson I would like to say that in stating that wooden sleepers are the best for high speeds, I only voiced a preference thereby. I think this conclusion can logically be drawn from the findings, remarks and information given in the reports of my colleagues, and I think I am right in basing my opinion thereon, in

particular on the practice of the Deutsche Reichsbahn.

The Reichsbahn has used metal sleepers on a large scale for a long time, but up to the present has always preferred wooden sleepers for its high-speed lines.

I might add a further remark from my own personal experience. The French Nord operates, builds and maintains the Nord-Belge Lines, and to profit by the local resources of the Belgian steel works, metal sleepers have been largely used on these lines, and in particular metal sleepers with welded bearing plates. These are sleepers for Vignole rails, not double-headed rails like those used in England.

The opinion of the Belgian Engineers, like our own, is that, for high speeds, wooden sleepers are to be preferred to metal sleepers, even when the bearing plates are welded.

This is the general conclusion that I have formulated in the text suggested for your approval.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — Perhaps we might say:

« The wooden sleeper is generally considered as being the most suitable for very high speeds. »

The President (in French). — Gentlemen, I propose to take your vote on the summaries, together with the amendment suggested in the case of Summary 3.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — It should also be remembered that Mr. Lemaire proposed to add certain recommendations. He is prepared to come to an agreement with Mr. Flament about the changes to be made in the text to take into account these recommendations which would be submitted to the Meeting

first thing to-morrow. In this way we might begin to discuss the question of points and crossings to-day.

Mr. Lévi (in French). — I would like to answer the point raised by Mr. Fraser and also suggest an addition to point 5 of Mr. Flament's summaries.

It has to do with the insufficiency of superelevation admissible on curves run through at high speed.

Mr. Fraser asked just now, if I understood him rightly, if resorting to speeds at which the superelevation obtained from more or less theoretical formulæ becomes insufficient gives rise to drawbacks from the maintenance point of view.

I do not think that Mr. Fraser wanted to know if it is harder to maintain lines with curves than lines on the straight. It is a question of rolling stock, some engines behaving better on curves than on the straight and vice versa.

Nor do I think Mr. Fraser wanted to know if the methods of maintenance in use differ on curved or straight sections. In fact I think what he did want to know was: when the speed becomes such that the non-compensated centrifugal force becomes considerable in relation to the superelevation, does not the cost of maintenance also increase?

I think the answer is no, according to the very definite observations we have made in practice. On the contrary, it would appear that speeds which result in the wheels pressing permanently on the outer line of rails can only be advantageous from the point of view of the stability of the rolling stock, its behaviour on the track, and in consequence of the forces which deform the track.

Under these conditions, I do not think

there would be any drawback in formulating an addition to the summaries, stating that speeds can be allowed at which the insufficiency of superelevation is as much as, for example, one tenth of the gauge, i.e. 15 cm. (6 inches), and recommending that research should be continued to find out the highest speeds allowable so long as the alignment is sufficiently correct, as stated in point 5.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — At yester-day's meeting this point of view was approved, according to the formulæ suggested by Messrs. Lemaire and Flament.

As regards the maintenance of curves, I do not think this was mentioned by the English delegates.

The President (in French).—I believe it is a question of the speed.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — Mr. Lévi, can we take it that, in your opinion, the maintenance of curves is not much more expensive?

Mr. Lévi (in French). — It is not much more expensive when the differences in superelevation to which Mr. Fraser alluded are approached.

The President (in French). — Gentlemen, are you agreed to adopt the amendments suggested by Mr. Flament about wooden sleepers?

I suggest that Messrs. Lemaire and Flament agree on the wording, taking the remarks made into account.

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — In the case of Summary 4, I suggest the following:

« The ballast should be sieved, homogeneous, and of good permeability and it should be thoroughly tested, particularly by impact tests. »

At the end of this paragraph, I would add:

« We recommend the systematic closing of ash-pans to avoid the clogging the ballast. »

Mr. Ridet (in French). — As regards the acceptance tests for ballast, we are not in agreement. A compromise should be found.

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — The question is to know whether the majority are in agreement or not.

Mr. Ridet (in French). — I have followed the very interesting tests carried out on certain Railways to find out the resistance of the ballast to impact. I must say that this seems to depend above all on the track maintenance methods used. If tamping is used to maintain the track, the ballast must be able to resist shocks, but if shovel packing is used, there is no need for this.

An excellent ballast used in France consists of slag. Now this shows no resistance to impact tests, and would be eliminated though we can use it under excellent conditions and it gives very good results when shovel packing is used. (Dr. MÜLLER expressed his agreement with this statement.)

Mr. Wallace. — If it is cold blast slag, we can accept it, but if it is hot cold blast slag, it pulverises under the track. We do use shovel packing in England.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — The impact test would therefore eliminate slag.

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — I do not agree with this statement.

The President (in French). — The question of slag does not arise here.

We are now going to read out the Summaries, and we will see if anything else has to be added to them.

The President. — Summary 2:

The heavy loads and high speeds impose upon the present-day rail metal a stress which in most cases it would be difficult to increase without affecting the behaviour and life of rails.

Any remarks?

- Adopted.

The weight of the rails on the most heavily loaded lines in Europe is about 50 kgr./m. (100 lb. per yard). There are still differences of opinion as to the desirability of increasing the weight of the rails to meet the increasing stress resulting from the loads and speeds.

Are we all agreed?

- Adopted.

The length of the rails and the type of rail joint vary much, according to the Railways. The conditions of use of extra long rails are still under investigation and cannot be determined exactly at present.

Are there any observations?

- Adopted.

We now come to Summary 3, altered as suggested by Mr. Ellson:

The wooden sleeper is at present generally considered as being the most suitable for very high speeds.

-- Adopted.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — In the following paragraph: « Increasing the sleepering is one of the methods which contribute to the strengthening of the

track... », KAMAL EL KHISHIN BEV proposes to add:

« ... is the most economical method » or else « ... is the most economical measure contributing to the strengthening of the track ».

Kamal el Khishin Bey, Egyptian State Railways. — Indeed, my opinion is that the closest sleepering is the most economical.

Mr. Flament (in French). — I would like to say in this connection that the summary in this form does not agree with the three reports and the conclusions which may be drawn therefrom.

I do not think that we can state in our summaries that increasing the sleepering is the best way of strengthening the track.

Kamal el Khishin Bey. — I would like to say: « is the most economical method... »

Mr. Whiteside, Secretary. — I would like to point out that the English delegates do not agree with this.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — It is suggested that the wording should be : « Increasing the number of sleepers is one of the most economical methods.»

- In view of the difference of opinion, the President put Kamal el Khishin Bey's suggestion to the vote.
 - This proposal was rejected.

Mr. Flament (in French). — May I remind you that in agreement with Mr. Stoïka I suggested an addition to the first paragraph, at the end of the point that has just been discussed. I agree to

the following addition: « ... and to offer a better resistance to the lateral and vertical forces caused by the high speeds. »

— Summary 3 was adopted with this addition to the first paragraph.

The President. — We will go on to Summary 4.

Mr. Flament (in French). — In agreement with Mr. Stoïka, I propose to word the beginning of this summary as follows:

Increasing the thickness of the layer of ballast enables a better distribution to be obtained of the loads and vertical forces sustained by the track when vehicles are passing over it.

— Unanimously adopted.

The President. — Here is the rest of Summary 4:

The ballast should be homogeneous and of good permeability, and consist of broken stone, the dimensions of which should not exceed 6 to 7 cm. (2 3/8 in. to 2 3/4 in.).

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — Returning to my previous suggestion, I should like the wording to be: « The ballast should be *sieved*, homogeneous... »

Mr. Flament (in French). — As Special Reporter, I would agree to putting the word « sieved » if it is understood that this does not mean uniformity.

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — Sieved does not mean that, but means that the dimensions vary according to a certain scale, from 2 to 6 cm., from 2 to 7 cm. and so on...

Mr. Flament (in French). — In that case I entirely agree with my colleague, Mr. Lemaire.

The President — Gentlemen, do you agree that the word « sieved » be added?

- Agreed.

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — I propose the following addition at the end of this paragraph: « Impact tests with the ballast before delivery are desirable. In order to avoid the clogging of the ballast, it is desirable that the ashpans of locomotives should be closed. »

Mr. Dubus (in French). — The French delegates do not agree.

Dr. Müller (in French). — I beg your pardon, *some* of the French delegates do not agree.

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — I suggest we say: « Tests with the ballast before delivery are desirable ».

Mr. Dubus. — Is this agreed?

Mr. Ridet (in French). — In this form, yes.

The President (in French). — Consequently we will add at the end of the first paragraph: « Tests with the ballast before delivery are desirable.»

- Agreed.

The second paragraph is worded as follows:

The roadbed should be sound and properly drained to prevent water remaining on the ground in cases in which its permeability is known to be poor.

- Adopted.

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — I suggest another addition to the end of Summary 4: « In order to avoid the clogging of the ballast, it is desirable that the ashpans of locomotives should be closed ».

Mr. Dubus. — Do we all agree to this addition?

Dr. Müller (in German). — I think it would be better not to mention the subject of the ash-pans, as in this case it would be necessary to go further and deal with the sand which the engine throws on the ballast, and is just as dirty.

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — On the contrary, I think this is a matter of great interest.

The President — We will vote on this addition.

— Mr. Lemaire's addition is adopted by 14 votes to 3.

The President. — We now come to Summary 5, the first paragraph of which is as follows:

Advantage should be taken of the opportunity offered by track overhaul or renewal work, for modernising old track and obtaining the conditions stated above.

- Adopted.

Second paragraph.

The alignment and levelling up of the track should be perfect in view of the speeds now run. Curves and their transitions should be very carefully laid, and be maintained and corrected as often as necessary.

_ Adopted.

This second paragraph would be completed as follows:

It is desirable to determine, by suitable experiments, the limits of speeds which can be readily admitted for the passage of trains through a curve, by taking into account its radius, its superelevation or the insufficiency of this latter.

Does everyone agree to this addition?

- Adopted.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — I wish to remind the Meeting that Mr. Desaleux had another suggestion to make.

Mr. Flament (in French). — At the beginning of this Meeting, Mr. Desaleux handed me the following text which he wanted to add to the end of Summary 5:

The state of perfection necessary in the maintenance to enable high speeds to be used involves considerable supplementary expenditure, and this expenditure must be taken into consideration when it is proposed to use such high speeds.

As Special Reporter, I would like to remark that this addition cannot be considered as the outcome of the summaries given in the various reports, and it can only be considered as a recommendation from the Section.

- Adopted.

The President. — We now come to the sixth and last summary :

Summary 6:

The angle of divergence at the point of the blade should be as small as possible; the blade should be flexible, so as to give the track a progressive curvature when entering the switch.

The radius of curvature of the part of the track connecting the switch to the crossing should be as large as possible, to guide the vehicle up to the crossing.

All causes of shock or interruption in the running surface and guiding of the axles should be avoided by a careful lay-out of the whole of the points and crossing and of the two lines of rails.

The crossing angle should be as small as possible, and the crossing, like the whole appliance, should be rigid and remain perfectly secure.

The super-elevation of the curved parts should be computed in each particular case according to the rules applying to the running road. The speeds to be allowed should be fixed and checked by tests with the various types of vehicles that have to be used.

Does everyone agree to Summary 6?

- Summary 6 was adopted without any alteration.
 - The Meeting ended at 12.30 p.m.

DISCUSSION AT THE PLENARY MEETING

held on the 7th June 1937.

MR. HENRY-GREARD, VICE-PRESIDENT, IN THE CHAIR.
GENERAL SECRETARIES: MESSRS. P. GHILAIN, DE BOYSSON AND CAMBOURNAC.
ASSISTANT GENERAL SECRETARIES: SIR H. NIGEL GRESLEY AND DR. TH. KITTEL.

The President. — Gentlemen, to-day we have to consider the Summaries to the various Questions adopted by the different Sections.

Mr. Ghilain, the General Secretary, will read them out to you.

Mr. Ghilain, General Secretary. — The text of the Summaries of Question I was published in No. 3 (4th June) of the Daily Journal of the Session.

(Mr. Ghilain then read out the Summaries.)

The President. — Has anyone any remarks to make about these Summaries?

— As no objections were raised, these Summaries were adopted.

Summaries.

« 1. Except on the Railways in North
« America, where the axle load reaches
« 35 tons, the general limit is 20 tons.
« The tendency of the rolling stock de« signers at the present time is to make
« it 20 to 25 tons, according to the Rail« ways concerned.

« The speed of 120 km. (75 miles) an « hour, the usual maximum for a long « time for passenger trains, has been « exceeded in many cases. The tendency « at the present time is to authorise « maximum speeds of about 150 km. (93 « miles) an hour for ordinary trains, « and 160 km. (100 miles) an hour for a railcars and rail motor trains.

« Under these conditions, the track « stresses will henceforth include an in-« creasing part due to the dynamic « effects of the loads moving at high « speeds. It is desirable, for this reason, « that these dynamic effects should be « investigated by means of experiments, « tests and measurements in all the « fields in which they may show them-« selves, both to guide the builders in « finding suitable ways of balancing and « distributing the forces, and to appre-« ciate the stresses the track must be ef-« fectively able to stand.

« 2. The heavy loads and high speeds « impose upon the present-day rail me- tal a stress which in most cases it « would be difficult to increase without « affecting the behaviour and life of « rails.

« The weight of the rails on the most « heavily loaded lines in Europe is about « 50 kgr./m. (100 lb. per yard). There « are still differences of opinion as to « the desirability of increasing the « weight of the rails to meet the increas-« ing stress resulting from the loads and « speeds.

« The length of the rails and the type « of rail joint vary much, according to « the Railways. The conditions of use of « extra long rails are still under investi-« gation and cannot be determined exact-« ly at present.

« 3. The wooden sleeper is at present « generally considered as being the most « suitable for very high speeds.

« Increasing the sleepering is one of « the methods which contribute to the « strengthening of the track in order to « enable it to carry the heavier loads « with the least damage, and to offer a « better resistance to the lateral and vera tical forces caused by the high speeds. « Vehicles running at high speed un-« der satisfactory conditions as regards « comfort and safety require the track " to be perfectly level as well as in good « alignment, and correct to gauge. « These conditions can only be fulfilled « if the fastenings securing the rails to « the sleepers are perfectly maintained « and tightened up. The use of bearing « plates between the rails and the slee-« pers, with suitable fastening devices, « is the general practice on many rail-« ways, and appears desirable, at least in « those parts of the track which include « curves of small radius.

« 4. Increasing the thickness of the a layer of ballast enables a better distribution to be obtained of the loads and a vertical forces sustained by the track a when vehicles are passing over it.

« The ballast should be sieved, homo-« geneous and of good permeability, and « consist of broken stone, the dimen-« sions of which should not exceed 6 to « 7 cm. (2 3/8" to 2 3/4"). Tests with « the ballast before delivery are desi-« rable.

« The roadbed should be sound and « properly drained to prevent water re-« maining on the ground in cases in « which its permeability is known to be « poor.

« In order to avoid the clogging of the wallast, it is desirable that the ashpans of locomotives should be closed.

« 5. Advantage should be taken of the « opportunity offered by track overhaul « or renewal work, for modernising old « track and obtaining the conditions « stated above.

« The alignment and levelling up of the track should be perfect in view of the

« speeds now run. Curves and their « transitions should be very carefully « laid, and be maintained and corrected « as often as necessary.

« It is desirable to determine, by sui-« table experiments, the limits of speeds « which can be readily admitted for the « passage of trains through a curve, by « taking into account its radius, its su-« perelevation or the insufficiency of « this latter.

« The state of perfection necessary in « the maintenance to enable high speeds « to be used involves considerable sup-« plementary expenditure, and this ex-« penditure must be taken into conside-« ration when it is proposed to use such « high speeds.

« 6. The angle of divergence at the point « of the blade should be as small as pos-« sible; the blade should be flexible, so « as to give the track a progressive cur-« vature when entering the switch.

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OUESTION II.

Application of welding:

- 1. To obtain extra-long rails;
- 2. In manufacturing and repairing points and crossings.
- (a) Results obtained by using extra-long rails. Methods used to ensure safe expansion of the rails and auchoring of the track.
- (b) Technical and financial results shown by welding points and crossings.

Preliminary documents.

Report (Germany, Belgium and Colony, Luxemburg, Netherlands and Colonies, Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Finland, Poland, Austria, Hungary, Switzerland), by Dr.-Ing. MÜLLER. (See *Bulletin*, November 1936, p. 1239, or special issue No. 8)

Report (Great Britain, Dominions and Colonies, America, China, Japan), by George Ellson. (See *Bulletin*, January 1937, p. 1, or special issue No. 43.)

Report (France and Colonies, Spain, Portugal and Colonies, Italy, Czechoslovakia, Bulgaria, Rumania, Jugoslavia, Greece, Turkey, Egypt), by J. RIDET. (See *Bulletin*, January 1937, p. 171, or special issue, No. 16.)

Supplement to Report (Italy), by J. Ri-DET. (See Bulletin, May 1937, p. 1485.)

Special Reporter: Dr.-Ing. MÜLLER. (See Bulletin, June 1937, p. 1494.)

DISCUSSION BY THE SECTION.

Meeting held on June 4th, 1937,

SIR RALPH LEWIS WEDGWOOD IN THE CHAIR.

— The meeting opened at 9.30 a.m.

The President — Gentlemen, to-day we will discuss Question II.

I call on Dr.-Ing. Müller, the Special Reporter.

Dr. Müller, Special Reporter (in German). — First of all I must thank my colleagues for the valuable contribution

they made to my special report by the investigations and information contained in their individual reports.

Dr. Müller then read the summary included in his *special report*, and went on to say:

Before we go on to the summaries I was able to draw up, I would like to ask

a few questions, especially about welding, a subject about which I found the reports were not unanimous.

I want to know, in particular, if the Belgian National Light Railways Company intends to continue welding fishplates by fillet welding, in spite of the fact that 45 % of the rails break?

Mr. Dubus, Principal Secretary. — Is there any delegate of the Belgian National Light Railways Company present, who can give Dr. Müller the information he wants?

Mr. Valeke, Belgian National Light Railways Company (in French). — The great number of breakages on our system is due above all to the fact that different welding methods have been used.

Originally we had not discovered a completely homogeneous and regular method of welding, such as that now used.

At first we only welded the fish-plates. Then, in view of the many failures in welded joints, we welded not only the fish-plates but also the bearing plates under the foot of the rails.

At present we are regularly fabricating rails of a certain length by electric welding, up to 50 and 60 m. (164' 1/2" and 196' 10 1/4"). These welds nearly always include the fitting of a bearing plate under the joint. Continuous fillet welding assures the solidarity of this plate with the foot of the rail.

The fish-plates are fastened by spot welding.

A V-shaped cut is made in the rail head in line with the joint and the groove filled with the welding metal.

Since this method was introduced, there have been far fewer defective joints. I might add in explanation of the rather high number of defects, that we only use electric welding on worn

Welding in the four-foot and six-foot is generally done by the thermit method on the electrified system, and electric welding is only used on worn rails. For the last two years, however, electric welding has been used on lines worked with steam trains and railcars, the current being supplied by small generating sets.

These welds are made on the smaller types of rails; these rails only weigh 23 kgr. per metre (46.4 lb. per yard).

The welding of track used exclusively for steam traction and railcar services is a rather difficult matter, since we have to weld rails that are already 25, 30 or even 40 years old. Naturally these rails are not run over at very high speeds. The object in view has been to remedy defective joints when the rest of the rail was still in good condition. Such defects were the more serious that these lines were laid with 9-m. (29' 6 3/8") long rails, this being our standard rail some years ago. The present length is generally 12 m. (39' 4 1/2") in the case of 23 kgr. per m. (46.4 lb. per vard) rails. We hope by the use of welding to increase the life of the track, improve the comfort, and reduce rolling stock maintenance.

As the cost of making such joints is relatively low, the fact that there are a certain number of failures — there are very few breakages, but rather local loosening of the welding fillets — does not upset us unduly, since the ordinary permanent way men make good such defects with the help of a small equipment. The percentage of defective joints is now reasonably low; it certainly does not exceed 3 to 4 %.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — If I re-

member rightly you have rails up to 60 m. (196' 10 1/4") in length, dont you?

Mr. Valcke. — Yes, to be accurate up to 54 m. (177' 2"), a length obtained by welding in situ.

Mr. Schutz, Sectional Secretary (in French). — Dr. MÜLLER asked me to still put the following question to the Belgian Light Railways' delegate: Does this railway intend to go on using welding in spite of the 3 to 4 % of breakages, which Dr. MÜLLER considers rather a high figure.

Mr. Valcke (in French). — We continue to use welding, but not on a large scale.

At the present time we have 4 separate welding plants, especially in the hilly parts of the country.

We are also beginning to use autogeneous welding. This has already been tried on the electrified lines, but the results were not very satisfactory. It appears, however, that the firms concerned have made much progress lately, and we are soon going to weld rails experimentally on track used exclusively by electric trains.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — Are you proposing to make these welds on a fairly large scale?

Mr. Valcke (in French). — No. It will rather be an experiment.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — How long have you kept statistics of the percentage of breakages in question?

Mr. Valcke (in French). — We have used electric welding for more than 10 years. I think that the percentages given relate to all the electric welds made on all classes of line.

Mr. Ridet, Reporter (in French). — So that at the beginning the percentage was 45 %, wasn't it?

Mr. Dubus (in French). — And now it is 4 %. How long is it since the number of failures was reduced to this figure?

Mr. Valcke (in French). — Since we introduced improved methods, but I cannot give you any exact information. I think it is during the last four years.

Mr. Schutz (in French). — And the percentage of 4 %?

Mr. Valcke (in French). — That is the present figure. The high percentage of failures was mainly found at the beginning owing to the bad methods used. I want to insist once more that it was not a question of rail breakages, but of loosening of the welds. Naturally we never had 45 % of broken joints, but only of loosened joints.

Dr. Müller (in German). — I would like to know how many broken rails there are on the other railways. In Germany welds have been made for the last 10 years, and the proportion of breakages is about 1 out of a thousand with thermit welding, and 0.2 per thousand with electric butt welding. As regards the question of welding old or new rails, I may state that in Germany, old rails are welded rather than new ones; the reason is that the rolling mills have been supplying 30-m. (98' 5 1/8") rails for a long time. At the present time they can supply us with 60-m. (196' 10 1/4") rails. Perhaps you would be interested to know how we weld small lengths of rails. Originally we cut off the ends of old 9, 10 or 12 m. (29' 6 3/8", 32' 9 3/4" or 39' 4 1/2") rails, which gave us sections of varying lengths, which was not recommendable. In order to get uniform lengths, for the last year we have adopted the practice of welding the old rails into long indeterminate lengths and then cutting them into given lengths, so that we now use uniform lengths of 20 m. (65' 7 3/8") on old track of secondary importance. For this purpose, the lines are divided into three categories : the first category includes track for express services; the two others are the secondary lines and the small lines. It is furthermore a very good practice only to use rails of given lengths, so that the joints occur at regular intervals. The rails on lines in the first category are 30 to 60 m. (98' 5 4/8" to 496' 10 4/4") long. On the least important lines we use the short rails and old rails.

Mr. Ridet (in French). — In reply to Dr. MÜLLER, I would like to say that in France also worn rails are often welded. In fact, welding is chiefly used for this purpose.

There is no such difference in length in the rails we use on the running road as that in the figures quoted by our German colleague, 9, 10 and 12 m., but I would like to explain our current practice in some detail.

For example on the French Est we have some old 12-m. (39' 4 1/2") rails which have been in service for as long as 40 years. We cut off 50 cm. (1' 7 11/16") at each end, so that the rail is only 11 m. (36' 1") long, and we weld two such rails together end to end by electric welding. In this way we get 22-m. (72' 2") long old rails which give excellent service, especially when annealed. Rails that have been annealed in this way are even better than the original rails which had become cold-

worked by the rolling loads. To sum up, I am absolutely in agreement with Dr. MÜLLER in what he said about welding worn rails.

Mr. Lemaire, Belgian National Railways Company (in French). — It is very reassuring to find that the railways of great countries like Germany and France are more or less unanimous on such an important question as that of long welded rails. In Belgium, a little country whose railway system is only about one tenth the size of those of these countries, we are also of this opinion.

Our rails are usually rolled in 27-m. (88' 7") lengths, because we have always made use of multiples of 9. Originally our rails were 9 m. (29' 6 3/8") long; then we increased the length to 48 and 27 m. In our shops we weld two 27-m. long rails which gives us 54 m. (177' 2") long rails. We have laid the electrified Brussels-Antwerp line with 54-m. lengths obtained by welding together two 27-m. rails.

The gap left between the joints presupposes a certain constraint in the rail. The fastening by means of coachscrews has been replaced by clips on bearing plates, completed by isolated anti-creep devices.

We follow the same practice in the case of worn rails, but we cut off the damaged ends in a systematic fashion, so as to get usable rails for more or less secondary lines; these rails are usually 35 m. (414' 40") instead of 36 m. (418' 1 1/4") long.

We also weld together four shortened 9-m. (29' 6 3/8") rails, of Bessemer steel, dating from 1879, which still showed practically no signs of wear. After testing the welds, we annealed the rails as we found a change in the texture of the

metal. We anneal our rails and carry out on them not only metallographic tests, but also vibratory bend tests. We have some rails under test at the University of Liége, which have already undergone 3 million impacts.

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We have also tested what we call the ideal joint. I must explain what I mean. Whatever precautions are taken in rolling the fish-plates and the rails themselves, it is very difficult to get two fishing spaces which are absolutely identical, seeing that the two rails which are being assembled obviously did not follow each other out of the rolling mill. There are certain fabrication tolerances; one end of the rail may have a tolerance of more than 1 mm. (0.039") and the other of less than 1 mm. The result is that the fishing is imperfect from the start.

To remedy this we sawed an 18-m. long rail in two. We fish-plated the two identical ends. An 18-m. rail has then been welded to each half, so that we have two standard 27-m. rails, and we call this the ideal joint, because it really is ideal. On this trial section of track it is impossible to say where the joint is. It is impossible to say where either the welded or fished joint is.

This is a very interesting test, which I have already pointed out to my French railway colleagues. A priori it may seem a very strong measure systematically to saw a rail, a new rail, in two and fish it. But in this way we are sure that the fishing is perfect from the beginning, and since there is no play, it seems likely that it will be a long time before there is any wear.

We have laid several kilometres of track fished in this way, and we are very satisfied with the results. Perhaps this is a solution to the problem; it is certainly an improvement.

Mr. Cooper, London Passenger Transport Board. — There are one or two features in this very interesting paper that Dr. MÜLLER has summarised on which I should like to have some additional information. The first point is to what extent can expansion be ignored. Dr. MÜLLER in his summary refers to rails of a length of 400 feet and 200 feet being generally used on the Continent. On the London Transport Board Lines we have a number of rails 240 feet long. Our experience is that movement or expansion effect only takes place towards the end of those rails, and that no movement, or appreciable movement, takes place over the greater length, and in consequence, in arranging the gaps at the ends of the rails, a gap is only put in which is normally sufficient for a 60-foot rail. Dr. MÜLLER in his summary has referred to the continuous lengths that have been put in in America. It would appear, therefore, that so long as one has a very well-maintained track, expansion effects are taken up by internal stress in the rail. One, therefore, is a little curious to know as to why the 100 to 200-foot lengths on the Continent are more or less fixed, and I should like very much to know whether it is the intention of the engineers to gradually increase this dimension, and whether it is only the natural caution of railwaymen which so far has kept the lengths down to the amount which has been mentioned.

The second point on which I should like to have some information is what standard of strength and what factor of safety is going to be required for a welded joint. It is the English practice, so far as rail strengths and rail specifications are concerned, to require a tup test, and so far with the various classes of weld which we have tried, in many cases

experimentally in London, no joint of any type can withstand the tup test that we consider is necessary so far as the ordinary rail is concerned. I believe that on the Continent more attention is given to the bend test, and in the bend tests which we have carried out in London it happens that the welded joint more approximately meets or shows the results of the ordinary rail than obtains with a tup test. It is therefore a question, I think, with English engineers in particular, as to whether our views are going to change so far as requiring a very severe tup test with welded joints.

So far as our results indicate, it would appear that it is the resistance on butt weld that, with our conditions in England, gives the best results. With particular reference to our tunnels, and where long lengths of rail are required, so far we have gone to 1500 feet, the resistance weld requires to be carried out at a depot, and so far we are not facing the transport of rails longer than 300 feet. I am therefore particularly interested in a reference made in Dr. Mül-LER's summary to a statement that the Delaware and Hudson Railroad have developed a machine with which the resistance welding can be carried out on the site, and perhaps I could obtain some information with regard to this machine, and how it is built.

I referred just now to the strength of the rails, and perhaps, as the result of a railwayman's caution, we have adopted a rather softer rail for electric welding and thermit welding in order to add to the security of the rail. I anticipate that with the general use of resistance welding, one can still use as hard rails as is our custom for a very heavy service.

Mr. Ellson, Reporter. It should be

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Dr. Müller (in German). - In reply to Mr. Cooper, I would like to say that the question of the joint gap is extremely complicated. The observations made are everywhere in agreement : the rails only expand at the ends. Consequently the question arises as to what lengths can we go in making long rails. Are certain railways proposing to weld rails into continuous lengths of 20 to 40 km. (12 1/2)to 25 miles)? In Germany we have made tests in which the temperature of the rails was artificially raised to 100° C. (212° F.) and we have gone into the question very closely. We succeeded in heating rails electrically to a temperature of 480° C. (354° F.) by passing very-low tension current through them in large amounts, and only at 180° C. is there any deformation in the track. We have also made trials to find the best type of rail fastening. I cannot give you any details on this subject, it would take too long. I will merely say that we have studied this question very thoroughly when heating the rails artificially.

It was also asked whether we proposed in Germany to make our rails much longer. We think that the maximum has been reached with 60 m. (196' 10 1/4"), first of all for practical reasons, and secondly because we have found that the length of the rails has a certain influence on the running of the stock. We have found that vibrations occur at very high speeds (120 to 140 km. = 75 to 87 miles an hour). We have found that each vehicle has a critical maximum speed after which it begins to oscillate. These are horizontal vibrations which we call pitching vibra-

tions; they only occur at high speeds. In addition we found that the rail joint can play an important part in remedying this defect; naturally it must not be a defective joint. A good joint damps out these vibrations. It is impossible to prevent such vibrations being set up on a long section of track run over at high speed, so that it is a very good thing to have a joint to break them up. At low speeds, like on tramways, there are no such vibrations. Consequently it is not merely for practical reasons, but also to avoid the persistence of such vibrations that we are not likely to exceed a length of 60 m.

I would now like to ask Mr. Lemaire if he thinks it would be profitable to go any further in the case of welded joints.

A third question is that of annealing. We have not found this necessary in Germany, but from what I have read, some railways seem to think it a good thing to anneal welded rails.

Do any Railways intend to fabricate rails of infinite lengths, or does everyone agree with us that there should be a limit set to the length of rails? In Germany there is such a limit, based on experience, and this maximum length is 60 m. I would be very interested if someone would supply information on this question.

Mr. Ellson. — It is a most interesting account of the experiment which Dr. MÜLLER has carried out. Would he give us a little further information regarding the construction of the track, namely, what was the nature of the ballast, the weight of the rails, and the number of sleepers per rail length?

I think it would be very useful to know that, because it would give us an idea of the inertia of the track, to which I have just referred. There must be a tendency, at any rate with a bull-headed rail in England, to lateral distortion. On the Continent, the rails are flat-bottomed, and they have a greater resistance to lateral distortion. But I should like to have some further information so as to enable us to make a comparison of the deadweight of the track in that experiment as compared with our standard weight in England.

Dr. Müller (in German). — Many tests have been made at Karlsruhe, over a long period, both on the running line and in the stations, as well as on a special testing plant 45 m. (147' 7 3/4") long. These tests were made with all sorts of sleepers, both wood and steel, and with straight and curved sections of track. In these tests, which we ourselves carried out, we used high-quality broken stone giving an elastic ballast like on the best track (like basalt). The weight of our standard rails is 49 kgr./m. (98.6 lb. per yard). There are 1600 sleepers per kilometre (2574 per mile).

We have tried out other kinds of sleepers on the test plant, for example those made of wood with metal fittings and wedges, etc. We found that on straight sections deformations started at a temperature of 180° C. (354° F.), and on curves of 500 m. (25 chains) radius, at 130° C. (266° F.). It is well known that straight sections are less likely to get out of line than curves.

If anyone present ever pays a visit to Karlsruhe, I shall be very pleased to show him anything that may interest him.

Kamal el Khishin Bey, Egyptian State Railways. — Two years ago, we started our experiments in Egypt with welding a full length of 4 kilometre in situ on a running line carrying suburban traffic, and where the speed is about 80 km. (50 miles) per hour. At the beginning we left only an ordinary joint at the two ends of the kilometre length, but we soon noticed that the joint was closed, and then we made a bigger joint of about 50 mm. (2"), realising this by two blades that we used to get at the ends of the bridges. The observations made on that joint shewed that it never closed to 50 mm., but only went up to 40 mm. (19/16").

I think I ought to say that our rails are 12 m. (39' 4 1/2") long and laid on steel sleepers, that the maintenance of this kilometre length has given no trouble, and that the running is very smooth on this particular length.

The President (in French). — Can any Member reply to Dr. MÜLLER'S question regarding the annealing of welds?

Mr. Stoïka, Rumanian State Railways (in French). — On our System we have only used welding experimentally. Amongst other things, we welded a kilometre of track in a tunnel where there are fifty degrees C. of variation in temperature at the ends and twenty degrees in the middle.

The only expansion of the track observed was limited to 3 cm. (1 3/16") down and 1 cm. (13/32") beyond. The thermit process was used, and great care was taken to make the welds properly.

In this connection, Dr. MÜLLER pointed out in his report that rail breakages can nearly always be attributed to defective work in making the weld, especially in the case of the first sections dealt with. Now, in spite of the fact that our welds

were made very carefully, we had 10 % of breakages in the neighbourhood of the welds. There were 15 breakages out of a total of 150 joints. In view of this bad result, we made thorough investigations and found - like Mr. RIDET says in his report — that there is a change in the grain of the metal which makes it weaker in the neighbourhood of the joint, and this causes the rail to break. We found the strength of the metal was reduced by about 25 %. The rails in question were made of Thomas steel, with a strength of 80 kgr./mm² (50.8 Engl. tons per sq. in.) which was reduced to 60 kgr./mm² (38.1) Engl. tons per sq. in.) near the weld.

I would like to ask Dr. MÜLLER if he thinks this was accidental, or if the same facts have been observed on the German Railways?

Dr. Müller (in German). — This is precisely what I mean by « childhood weaknesses ». We found the proportion of breakages was about one out of 1500 joints. Mr. Stoïka states that on his railway there were 45 breakages out of 150 joints. The fault must lie with the firm carrying out the welding, or be due to defective workmanship.

Mr. Stoïka (in French). — I would like to say once more that the breakage was not in the weld itself, but near the weld.

Mr. Stehlik, Jugoslav State Railways (in German). — I quite agree with Dr. Müller. On our System, we welded a 1 200-m. (3 937') length in a 1 800 m. (5 928') long tunnel, on a curve of 300 m. (15 chains) radius. The welding of the rails in this tunnel dates back to 1933; the thermit process was used, and we have not had a single breakage. Our ex-

perience agrees with that of the Deutsche Reichsbahn. I might add that the welds were made by our own men. They were merely given the necessary instructions beforehand by the firm concerned. The rails used are 45 kgr./m. (90.6 lb. per yard) on wood sleepers. The tunnel is on a steep gradient (about 1 in 50) on the Adriatic coast, and is only single-track. The results obtained are excellent.

Dr. Müller (in German). — Up to date we have made 400 000 welds by the thermit process, and have had more than 500 breakages, i.e. about 1 per thousand; in the case of electric welds there have been about 0.1 per thousand breakages, with about 600 000 welds.

I would like to remind you of the second question I asked. Do some Railways consider that heat treatment of the welded part after welding gives improved results?

According to the experiments made by the German Reichsbahn, if the thermit or resistance weld is properly made, the weld is already perfect, so that further heat treatment is of no advantage.

Mr. Cooper. — I suggest that it would be unwise to make too definite a statement against heat treatment. It is my view that in some cases annealing is beneficial.

Mr. Ridet (in French). — I think that annealing improves the quality of the weld by making the grain finer and the metal more homogeneous.

I also think that this annealing need not be very costly as it can be carried out with a petrol blow-lamp or in a furnace heated by oil or electrically. In any case, welds made by the thermit process, when the work is properly done, give very satisfactory results. This explains why several Railways do not find annealing profitable, while others who have carried it out systematically have obtained good results.

In any case I think that annealing improves the quality of the weld.

Dr. Müller (in German). — I am grateful to Mr. Ridet for the data he has just given us.

The President (in French). — As it is rather late, I suggest, Gentlemen, that a vote be taken on the first summary, which Dr. MÜLLER will now read out.

Dr. Müller (in German). — Summary 1:

1. The application of welding to track equipment, which only dates back about 6 years, has not only given rise, in spite of its recent introduction, to constructional progress, but, as shown by the results obtained so far, has been the means of effecting appreciable savings in the first cost and maintenance costs of the track.

The chief advantage of welding is that the number of rail joints can be markedly reduced, and that the joints can even be entirely eliminated on long track lengths.

It is desirable that studies and experiments be carried on in connection with the behaviour of extra-long welded rails under the rolling loads, as well as the width of the joint gap with different lengths, at different rail temperatures. First of all, the exact causes of track deformations, which sometimes occur, should be investigated.

On the other hand, not only is smooth and comfortable riding obtained by the use of extra-long rails, but there is also less wear and tear of the rolling stock. Consequently savings in the first cost and maintenance of rolling stock may be expected, such savings being the larger the longer the section of line laid with long rails.

The President (in French). — Are there any remarks?

Mr. Ridet (in French). — To the second paragraph: « The chief advantage »... I would like to add after the first sentence: « Moreover, welding enables composite rails to be constituted by welding together two rails of different profiles, which is an excellent means of abolishing special fish-plates, which fish-plates often are a cause of dislocation. »

Dr. Müller (in German). — I agree.

The President (in French). — Is the Meeting agreed on the addition suggested by Mr. Ridet?

- Adopted

Mr. Ridet (in French). — Here is a second addition I suggest might be inserted after the fourth sentence in paragraph 2 of this summary:

« On metal bridges, the welding of joints is easier than in the ordinary track, seeing that the structure expands at the same time as the rails and that there are generally expansion devices at the ends. Such welding appreciably diminishes the dynamic effects, which contributes to the preservation of the whole of the different parts of the structure ».

— On Dr. MÜLLER's suggestion, this addition was re-worded as follows: « On bridges, the welding of the joints appreciably diminishes the dynamic effects, which contributes to the preservation of the whole of the different parts of the structures. »

The President (in French). — Are there any remarks?

— This addition was adopted.

Mr. Ridet (in French). — I should also like to add the following paragraph:

« The use of welded rails is particularly recommendable for heavily loaded sidings when the ballast and side-ballast are compact and well knitted together, as the risks of transverse deformation are thus very much reduced ».

Mr. Dubus (in French). — What do you mean by « sidings »?

Mr. Ridet (in French). — Shunting lines.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — When you use the expression « side ballast » are we to understand that this generally means the ballast in the six-foot?

Mr. Ridet (in French). — Yes, I mean in the six-foot.

Dr. Müller (in German). — In my opinion, the last sentence is much the most important. The use of long rails in sidings is particularly advantageous, because on these lines the ballast is very dirty and forms a compact whole, so that deformation of the track transversely is less likely. I suggest we say: « for heavily loaded lines in marshalling yards... ».

Mr. Ellson. — I wish to state that such practice would not prove economical in sidings; the opposite is true as regards running roads, wherein part of the expenditure on electrical bonds can be avoided in the case of electrified track.

In the case of marshalling sidings, rather heavy expenditure might be entailed which would not be justified.

Mr. Ridet (in French). — I said : « ... for heavily-loaded lines... ». The President (in French). — We might say: « should be considered » instead of: « is particularly recommendable ».

Mr. Ridet (in French). — That's it. I agree to that.

Dr. Müller (in German). — I also agree that this practice would be too expensive on accessory lines, and is to be recommended above all on the most important lines.

- The addition proposed by Mr. Ridet was given the following form:
 - « Similarly, the use of welded rails

should be considered for heavily loaded lines in marshalling yards when the ballast and side-ballast are compact and well knitted together, as the risks of transverse deformation are thus very much reduced. »

The President (in French). — We have thus concluded the discussion of Summary 1. The Bureau of the Section will be requested to arrange the wording adopted, including in it the three additions suggested by Mr. Ridet.

- The Section expressed its agreement with this.
 - The Meeting ended at 12.55 p. m.

Meeting held on June 8th, 1937.

SIR RALPH LEWIS WEDGWOOD IN THE CHAIR.

- The meeting began at 9.30 a.m.

The President (in French). — Gentlemen, we will now proceed with the discussion on the summaries of Question II.

Mr. Ridet (in French). — I would like to make another addition, at the end of Summary 1 adopted at yesterday's meeting, namely the following sentence:

« It is desirable that the welding of rails should be checked during execution, by means of suitable tests (mechanical and metallographic) ».

The President. — Is this agreed?

- This addition was adopted.

We will now go on to Summary 2.

2. By the use of welding for joining and fastening rails and other track components,

particularly when fabricating points and crossings, it is possible to reduce the number of fastenings subject to heavy wear. The resistance to wear and the life of points and crossings will be increased thereby.

Dr. Müller (in German). — The method used by the Deutsche Reichsbahn to recondition metal sleepers is, in my opinion, very economical; broken or worn sleepers are repaired in two ways. Bearing plates can be welded to the sleepers themselves; unfortunately this process has the drawback that the sleepers must still be in good condition; if they are cracked on the sides, the work cannot be done. For this reason we have used another process for 12 to 13 years: we cut out the usable middle portions of worn sleepers and weld them together. This process is relatively cheap, and gives, so to speak, new sleepers. The cost of a weld of this kind is about 45 % of the cost of a new sleeper, and the reconditioned sleeper lasts nearly as long as a new sleeper. It is a very good way of increasing the life of sleepers by many years. If anyone wants any additional information on this subject, I shall be very pleased to answer any questions.

Mr. Ellson. — Could Dr. MÜLLER say what is the life of a steel sleeper? They have used them for many years in Germany, and it would be very interesting to know what is the serviceable life of a steel sleeper. In England, we are now using steel sleepers to an increasing extent, and it would be very helpful to know on what length of life we could base our possible economies.

Dr. Müller (in German). — The life of metal sleepers depends first of all on the district where they are used. On the average it can be taken as 30 to 40 years. But there are also districts where the metal sleepers only last 8 to 12 years; this is the case, for example, in the Ruhr Valley where there are the steel works of our contractors and the atmosphere is heavily laden with sulphuric acid fumes. It used to be maintained that metal sleepers should be used near to their place of manufacture to save transport costs: this was a serious mistake. On the Deutsche Reichsbahn, just as we group the track into three categories, we make a distinction between districts where wood and where steel sleepers have to be used. In damp regions, in tunnels, near steel works and chemical works, we only use wood sleepers. In the Ruhr, for example, 8 000 tons of sleeper metal was lost through corrosion. For the same reason the use of metal sleepers has been proscribed in the Essen district. On the other hand, in the agricultural districts where the metal sleepers last indefinitely, we use them. After 40 years they are still as good as new. Formerly in such regions, for example on the Russian frontier, near Poland and Lithuania, where there were vast forests, only wood sleepers were used. But after many sleepers had been damaged by a fungus which destroyed the inside of the sleeper, we were obliged to use only metal sleepers here also in spite of the cost of transport. Besides, the results are quite satisfactory.

I can therefore only recommend the welding of sleepers and their use on lines

of secondary importance.

Mr. Lecoanet, Algerian Railways (Joint Working) (in French). — I would like to ask Dr. Müller if he thinks metal sleepers deterioriate for other reasons besides climatic conditions or heavy traffic, and in particular if he agrees that there is a critical speed which should not be exceeded with metal sleepers.

It is generally admitted — I have been told so on several occasions by Engineers of various Railways — that metal sleepers deteriorate very quickly if the speed exceeds 400 km. (62 miles) an hour.

Is this statement accurate?

We use a great many metal sleepers in Algeria. We are now introducing speeds of over 120 km. (75 miles) an hour, and we want to know if this is going to shorten the life of our metal sleepers very quickly.

Dr. Müller (in German). — In my opinion the speed has no effect.

Kamal el Khishin Bey. — We also use in Egypt steel sleepers since 1910, and I agree with the words of Dr. MÜLLER that it is humidity that attacks the steel sleeper. Steel sleepers in Upper Egypt, where it scarcely ever rains, have lasted for about 26 years, but in Lower Egypt, in the damp places, they last for about nine years.

The President. — Gentlemen, this question of metal sleepers it somewhat outside the scope of the business on hand, which is the question of welding.

Mr. Andrzewski, Polish State Railways (in German). — A good deal has been said about the welding of rails and sleepers, but what interests me above all is the way of carrying out this work. When is the work done in situ and when in the shops? I admit electric welding requires a good deal of equipment, so that it should usually be done in the shops. On the other hand, it is known that the thermit process can easily be carried out on the site. In Poland we only use the latter process: we weld rail joints on the line, between two trains. The welded joints are very subject to cracks. As we have learnt from the reports, the results obtained by certain railways have not been satisfactory: in Rumania for example, there have been many broken rails. The question of welding is an economic one in which a certain part is played by the carrying out of the work.

Dr. Müller (in German). — The advantage of the thermit welding process is that it can be done on the site, whereas electric welding requires ample equipment and so should be done in the shops. In Germany we work as follows: on bridges, i.e. with small lengths of track, the thermit process is used, whereas rails to be welded into long lengths are sent to the shops. The drawback is that these rails have to be transported, but the advantage is that the work can be done at leisure and more carefully. The rails are taken up and carried to the

shop. The cost of the two methods is practically the same: the thermit process is dearer than electric welding, but if the transport costs are taken into account, the final results are about the same. If only the joints are to be welded, the thermit process is used; if the rails have to be divided up into sections and the ends have to be drilled, the work is done in the shops.

Mr. Flament, French Nord Railway (in French). — Dr. MÜLLER, during the discussions on Summary 1, told us some of the results and conclusions reached on the Reichsbahn about using long rails.

I would like to ask him a question: Is the 60-m. (196' 10 1/4") rail still used in the running road of his railway on the high-speed lines, apart from in tunnels?

Dr. MÜLLER said that in the tunnels the 60-m. rail was the one always used for laying and replacing reasons. Is this rail still used on the lines run over at high speed, and if so what are the regulations on which the use of 30-m. (98' 5 4/8") or shorter rails is based?

Dr. Müller (in German). — At the present time in Germany our standard rail is the 30-m. rail, even for the highest speeds. However, as a trial, we have laid many sections of line with 60-m. rails: in the tunnels this is the standard rail [as, as I said before, we have given up using 2 000-m. (4.24 mile) rails]. Is the 30 or the 60-m. rail to be preferred? I can tell you this: We have about 10 000 km. (6 200 miles) laid with 30-m. rails and about 1000 km. (620 miles) with 60-m. rails. We have been rather careful about using the latter, because we want absolute certainty in our operating. Some sections of the running road are laid with 60-m. rails, but they are still considered as trial sections. Shall we decide in the future to use the 60-m. rail exclusively? Very likely, but this is not yet certain, as it may be that with great temperature variations it may be necessary to take the deformation of the track into account. We are bold, but we do not act in the dark. The foot of the long rails is covered with ballast. The temperature is definitely higher in the head than in the foot; tests have shown that there is a difference of about 6 to 8° C. (10.8 to 14.4° F.). I should like to state that in my opinion the 60-m. rail is the better, but certain precautions have to be taken in using it, whereas we are absolutely certain about the 30-m. rail. We have found in Germany, over many years, that the maximum temperature variation is about 80° C. (144° F.). We take 60° C. (140° F.) as the highest summer temperature and -20° C. (-4° F.) as the lowest winter temperature. The gap must not be excessive in winter, otherwise the long rail loses its advantages; the gap must not exceed 19 mm. (3/4 in.). In Egypt, for example, and in France, where there are no very severe winters, the conditions favour the use of long rails.

Mr. Ellson. — On the Southern Railway of England, we have gone very much ahead with welding for the re-conditioning of crossings, and we are finding that we are thereby getting some very substantial economies. I think it might be appropriate to give a few further particulars in regard to the welding of crossings. I have here some notes, but I think it would be better to hand these in, and just touch now on the principal points.

In the last seven or eight years on the Southern Railway, we have had very great increases in traffic intensity, owing to the electrification of the line. Generally speaking, in the whole of the subur-

ban area the traffic has been increased by 150 %, and there is a good number of the axles on each train which have fairly heavy unsprung loads, which are particularly severe on crossings. give a bump after going over the gap of the crossings, and we had excessive wear on the crossing noses and wing rails in the early part of the electrified working, so much so that it became a problem as to how we were going to maintain our crossings in proper condition, and I was bound to find some means of 'getting over this difficulty. We are now re-conditioning the whole of the crossings on the entire system by welding. Up to the time when I left London, we had done about 48 500 crossings. We do about 3 000 or 4 000 per year.

The figures of the savings which we make are given in the Appendix which I sent, to the Report I made. Roughly the cost of re-conditioning a crossing is about £ 3 to £ 3 10 sh. 0 d., whereas the cost of a new crossing is about £ 22, making a very substantial saving. that does not take into account a very important thing, namely, that we do this crossing welding without interfering with the traffic. I have recently computed what the cost of traffic interference is, when work is done on the track and, roughly, I find that it varies from about 33 % to 50 % of the cost of the work, so that besides the actual savings in the cost of re-conditioning the crossings we can, and do get a further great advantage by reason of the monetary saving in non-interference with traffic, and also the Traffic Department get great advantages through not having their trains interfered with.

We have tried both oxy-acetylene welding, which I will call gas welding, and the electric arc welding process, which I

will call arc welding. With regard to gas welding, we find we cannot do that where there is great intensity of traffic. Probably on steam-worked lines where trains pass every 10 minutes or so, gas welding might be the best. It is about 25 % cheaper, but more time is required, because you are dealing with bigger masses of metal at once, and there must be an interval between the completion of a run of welding and the passage of the next train. The interval is necessary to enable the deposit to cool off, otherwise the passage of a train has a tendency to tear away the deposit from the parent metal. In the busy yards round Waterloo, Victoria, London Bridge and Holborn, trains pass every 2 or 3 minutes, and the whole of those crossings are welded by the arc method in between trains. I have found it quite unnecessary to do any welding at night time. We do the whole of the maintenance of the crossings in ordinary day time, in the men's ordinary time, and without interfering with traffic, and that, to my mind, is very important.

There is a further point I would like to touch upon, namely, the method of carrying out this important work of reconditioning crossings, and that is, that the track must be properly packed before the process begins. Otherwise, I am afraid it would be inviting failure. It is most important that you pack the whole of the timber of your track soundly, and that you tighten up all bolts that there may be in the various component parts before commencing the welding. Another important point is that when you have finished your welding, the crossing must be ground to the exact contours required at that particular place by the passage of traffic. You will find that crossings are not worn in exactly the same way at different places. The passage of trains at any place requires careful study, and you must grind your crossings to finish the countours up to the requirements of the traffic at that particular place. Otherwise you might get undue impact on points that would lead to cracks.

There is a further consideration, and I attach importance to this, and that is we do no welding during frosty weather or during very cold winds. We pre-heat the crossings, but we do not post-heat them, and the whole of the welders have strict instructions not to carry out such work except under suitable weather conditions. When the men are not welding, they are doing a very useful duty in going round and examining all the crossings that have been welded so as to see that no defects, have developed in the welds. It is important to have a regular and systematic examination of all the welded crossings.

Finally I will refer to the importance of training the men who carry out the work. To start with men who are not properly trained would be really inviting trouble, and it is most important to see that the men are skilled in the welding process. We have a school for that purpose. They make experimental welds there, and until they become expert, in carrying out welds which show no defects whatsoever, they are not allowed to go on to the track.

Mr. Ridet (in French). — I would like to ask Mr. Ellson two questions: (1) How is the preheating carried out? (2) Has it not been found more economical sometimes to remove points and crossings that have to be built up, especially where there are many trains?

Some railways have used this method, especially on shunting lines: the crossing is removed, built up, and relaid.

Mr. Ellson. — The pre-heating is done by means of a small electrical appliance, and there are a certain number of elements in this small appliance. It fits round the rail, and current is passed through, and the heating is done very simply and inexpensively that way. It is a very light and portable machine, and the men can carry it about. We also do this pre-heating of the part to be welded on non-electrified lines.

With regard to the removal of the crossings from the track during the process of welding we should certainly find that that would add to the expense, whether in shunting yards or in the main roads, because to remove them would mean undoing all the fastenings, disconnecting the signalling apparatus — which is very complicated, because of the amount of colour light signalling in use. In shunting yards, a man will do a crossing in a day, so that there would be no advantage in taking the crossing out.

I shall be very happy to show Mr. RIDET the process whenever he comes to England.

The President (in French). — Gentlemen, I suggest that a vote be taken now on Summary 2, which has been read out. Are you all agreed on the proposed wording?

— Summary 2 was unanimously adopted.

We now come to Summary 3:

3. Building up by welding is a means of reconditioning the worn running surfaces and consequently of again lengthening the life of rails and crossing noses.

I am not sure if the English text corresponds exactly with the French text.

Mr. Wallace, London Midland and Scottish Railway. — I think that the English text is rather restrictive in meaning, and that the word « noses » should be replaced by « components ».

Mr. Driessen, Netherlands Railways (in French). — I think that the text might be read as meaning that the whole of the rail is built up. It says « worn running surfaces » which seems to imply the whole length of the rail. I do not think this is the case.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — We might say: « the worn parts ».

The President (in French to Mr. Driessen). — Do you want any alteration thereto?

Mr. Driessen (in French). — I am not referring to the rails but to details of the points and crossings.

The President. — Not only are crossing components built up, but also the worn parts of rails. Is that agreed?

Dr. Müller (in German). — I agree.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — I propose to say: « running surfaces worn locally ».

The President (in French). — Are we all agreed to say: « ... running surfaces worn locally... ».

- Unanimously adopted in the following form:
- « 3. Building up by welding is a means of reconditioning running surfaces worn locally, and consequently of again lengthening the life of rails and crossing components. »

We now go on to Summary 4.

4. This results in still further savings on the capital cost and maintenance costs of the track as a whole.

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As regards the various welding processes, which are still in the experimental stage, an endeavour is made, by means of observations, studies and experiments, to find out, for each kind of weld, which process is the best from the double point of view of quality and economy. The results obtained in a short time are so promising that it is proposed everywhere to still further extend the use of welding in track work. There is every hope that future progress in this still new field will prove beneficial for the Railways and their respective countries.

Mr. Ellson. — I wish to make a suggestion about the first sentence. Instead of saying: « This results in still further savings on the capital cost and maintenance costs of the track as a whole », I think it would be better — to make the text of the summary more in accordance with the present position — to word this sentence as follows:

« The use of welding results in substantial savings on the maintenance costs of the track as a whole and avoids interference with traffic working. »

Mr. Ridet (in French). — Mr. Ellson in fact wants to draw attention to the fact that it is not a question of capital but of maintenance costs.

The President (in French). — The following wording is consequently suggested: « The use of welding results in substantial savings on the maintenance costs of the track as a whole », the words « the capital cost and » being deleted.

Dr. Müller (in German). — I agree with this.

— This alteration was approved.

The President (in French). — M. Ellson furthermore suggests the following addition: « and avoids interference with traffic working » after the words « of the track ».

- Adopted.

The first paragraph of Summary 4 thus becomes: « The use of welding results in substantial savings on the maintenance costs of the track as a whole and avoids interference with traffic working».

The second paragraph remains unaltered.

- Adopted.

The President (in French). — Gentlemen, we have now concluded the examination of the summaries of Question II. At to morrow's meeting we will discuss Question III.

- The Meeting ended at 11.30 a.m.

DISCUSSION AT THE PLENARY MEETING.

June 11th, 1937.

Mr. LE BESNERAIS, VICE PRESIDENT, IN THE CHAIR.

GENERAL SECRETARIES: MESSRS. P. GHILAIN, DE BOYSSON AND CAMBOURNAC. ASSISTANT GENERAL SECRETARIES: SIR H. NIGEL GRESLEY AND DR. TH. KITTEL.

The President (in French). — Gentlemen the first point on the agenda is the final ratification of the Summaries adopted by the various Sections since our meeting on June 7th. I do not propose to have them all read out to you, as everyone has had the opportunity of making himself familiar with them in the Daily Journal of the Session. (Admitted.)

Mr. Ghilain, the General Secretary, will be good enough to enumerate in turn the different points in these summaries, question by question, giving the Delegates the opportunity after each to raise any points necessary.

Mr. Ghilain, General Secretary. — We will begin by considering the Summaries for Question II which were published in No. 6 of the Daily Journal of the Session.

- No points were raised.

The President. — We consequently take the Summaries of Question II as approved.

Summaries.

« 1. The application of welding pro-« cesses to track equipment in order to « increase the length of rails hardly « dates back more than six years. In

« spite of its recent introduction, wel-« ding has not only given rise to pro-« gress in track construction, but also « to appreciable savings in the expen-« diture necessary for laying and main-« taining the track.

« The chief advantage conferred by welding is that rail joints can be appreciably reduced in number, or even entirely eliminated on long track lengths. Moreover, welding enables composite rails to be constituted by welding together two rails of different profiles, which is an excellent means of abolishing special fish-plates, which fish-plates often are a cause of dislocation.

« It is desirable that studies and expe-« riments should continue to be carried « out with regard to the behaviour of « long welded rails on running lines, un-« der the heavy rolling loads, as well as « to the width of the joint gap with dif-« ferent lengths of rail and different « temperatures.

« Moreover, the use of extra-long rails « not only ensures smooth and comfor-« table riding of the vehicles, but such « vehicles are also subject to lesser fati-« gue.

« On bridges, the welding of the joints « appreciably diminishes the dynamic « effects, which contributes to the pre« servation of the whole of the different « parts of the structure.

« Savings may therefore be looked for « in the expenditure necessary for main-« taining and building vehicles and brid-« ges, economies which will be all the « more appreciable on those sections of « line where the longest lengths of « track are laid with long rails.

« Similarly, the use of welded rails « should be considered for heavily loaded « lines in marshalling yards when the « ballast and side-ballast are compact « and well knitted together, as the risks « of transverse deformation are thus « very much reduced.

« It is desirable that the welding of « rails should be checked during execu-« tion, by means of suitable tests (me-« chanical and metallographic).

« 2. By the use of welding for joining rails and other track components, par ticularly when fabricating points and crossings, it is possible to reduce the number of fastenings subject to heavy wear. The resistance to wear and the $\ensuremath{\text{\tiny "}}$ life of points and crossings will be $\ensuremath{\text{\tiny "}}$ increased thereby.

 $\ll 3.$ Building up by welding is a means \ll of reconditioning running surfaces \bullet \ll worn locally, and consequently of again \ll lengthening the life of rails and cross- \ll ing components.

« 4. The use of welding results in sub-« stantial savings on the maintenance « costs of the track as a whole and avoids « interference with traffic working.

« As regards the various welding pro« cesses, which are still in the expe« rimental stage, an endeavour is made,
« by means of observations, studies and
« experiments, to find out, for each
« kind of weld, which process is the
« best from the double point of view of
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« further extend the use of welding in
« track work. There is every hope that
« future progress in this still new field
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« and their respective countries. »

OUESTION III.

Methodical and periodical maintenance of:

1. metal bridges; 2. signals; 3. metal supports carrying the contact wire on electric railways.

Organisation. - Working methods. - Materials used.

Preliminary documents.

Report (Great Britain Dominions and Colonies, America, China and Japan), by Wm. A. Fraser. (See *Bulletin*, September 1936, p. 875, or special issue No. 1.)

Report (Netherlands and Colonies, Germany, Belgium and Colony, Luxemburg, Denmark, Norway, Sweden, Finland, Poland, Austria, Hungary, Switzerland), by Th. W. Mundt. (See Bulletin, March 1937, p. 775, or special issue No. 24.)

Report (Bulgaria, Egypt, Spain, France and Colonies, Greece, Italy, Portugal and Colonies, Rumania, Czechoslovakia, Turkey and Jugoslavia), by V. Degreef. (See *Bulletin*, May 1937, p. 1245, or special issue No. 34.)

Special Reporter: Th. W. Mundt. (See Bulletin, June 1937, p. 1505.)

DISCUSSION BY THE SECTION.

Meeting held on June 9th, 1937.

SIR RALPH LEWIS WEDGWOOD IN THE CHAIR.

The Meeting opened at 9.30 a.m.

The President (in French). — Gentlemen, to-day we will discuss Question III.

I call on the *Principal Secretary*, Mr. Dubus, who will give some information in connection with the wording of the summaries.

Mr. Dubus, Principal Secretary (in

French). — Gentlemen, before beginning the discussion, I would like to call your attention to the fact that the Reporters, Messrs. Mundt, Fraser and De Greef, who had not met previously, held a meeting during which they drew up some summaries slightly different from those given in the Special Report. It is these summaries that the Section will be asked to vote upon.

Mr. Mundt, Special Reporter. — Mr. President, may I first of all thank my two Co-Reporters, Messrs. Fraser and De Greef, whose valuable collaboration in investigating the question with which we are dealing greatly assisted me in drawing up my special report. I would like to thank Mr. De Greef in particular, who had to take the place of the third reporter, Mr. Mendoza, at the last moment and so had to draw up his report at very short notice. I congratulate him on the way he has carried out this difficult work.

We will now go on to consider the summaries. Here is the text of Summary 1:

1. It is advisable that the staff responsible for the design and construction of metal bridges should directly or indirectly intervene in the maintenance of such structures.

The President. — Are there any observations?

— As no one wished to say anything, Summary 1 was adopted.

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 2:

2. Depending on the size of the bridge, the use of pneumatic or electric de-rusting apparatus will reduce maintenance costs.

Mr. Driessen, Netherlands Railways (in French). — I think that the use of such equipment requires much care in view of the fact that there are cases in which their use is not economical.

Consequently I suggest we say: « ... will, in certain cases... » in order to make it clear that the different cases which arise must be considered.

Mr. Mundt. — Agreed.

The President (in French). — No objection being raised, Summary 2 is adopted with this slight alteration.

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 3:

3. When periodical re-painting is undertaken, it is sometimes unnecessary to treat large surfaces which are still in a good state of preservation, in the same manner as necessary for other surfaces, unless æsthetic considerations require it; in such a case it should be sufficient to apply only the final coat.

The President. — Does the Meeting agree concerning this wording?

— Adopted without modification.

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 4:

4. With a view to avoiding the contingency of removing scaffolding, it is advisable to apply a binding material which makes it possible to apply the following coat of paint soon after the previous coat is put on.

The President. — Are we at one in adopting Summary 4?

- Summary 4 was adopted.

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 5:

5. The use of spray-painting can, in many cases, enable a saving in the repainting of bridges to be effected.

Instead of « ... the repainting of bridges... » I think it would be preferable to say « ... the painting... ».

Mr. Ridet, French East Railways (in French). — I would like to alter « in many cases » to « in certain cases ».

The President. — No objections?

— Adopted with the modifications proposed.

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 6:

6. De-rusting work and the application of red lead and other paint should be carried out by the Railway's own staff, in preference to contracting out this work.

Mr. Desaleux, Paris-Lyon-Méditerranée Railways (in French). — I find that the wording of this summary is rather too peremptory. There are certain cases in which it is better to have the work done by contract.

Mr Lemaire, Belgian National Railways Company (in French). — I agree with Mr. Desaleux, in the sense that on the Belgian Railways we have found that the most important part of the work is the de-rusting. It is very difficult to get contractors to de-rust thoroughly the inaccessible parts, the crossing parts, corners and angles, for example The most valuable part of the work is, however, the de-rusting, cleaning and sand-papering. I suggest we say : « The de-rusting work and application of red lead and other paint by the railways' own staff is to be preferred, especially in the case of de-rusting. »

In certain cases we have been able to have the red lead and other painting done by contract. This can be done under better conditions, but in the case of de-rusting, I think it is specially important not to have this done by contract.

In my opinion, therefore, this paragraph should be altered, and we should say: « is to be preferred »; on the other hand we should make a distinction between de-rusting and painting.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — I suggest we say: « It is especially valuable to have the de-rusting done by the railways' own staff ».

Mr. Ridet (in French). — I quite agree with Mr. Lemaire on the sense of the alteration that should be made in the wording, and about the importance of this difficult work to the railway.

However, to give in a general formula the various methods of doing the work in the different countries, which can vary according to the kind of work and the skill of the workmen, I would like to know if Mr. Lemaire would agree to the following compromise: « De-rusting work and the application of red lead and other paint may be carried out either by the Railway or by contract but, in the latter case, should be closely supervised by the Administration. »

I think it is possible to have de-rusting work done by contract, but there is not much interest in doing so, as it is impossible for the contractors to estimate exactly the cost of the work to be done if the de-rusting is to be properly carried out; I think it is better to have it done by the railway itself. The work, moreover, is carried out more thoroughly when it is done by the railway staff.

Mr. Mundt (in French). — I agree with Mr. Rider, except about the de-rusting.

Mr. Ridet (in French).— I think that the contractor cannot calculate the cost price in advance, but perhaps it is possible to calculate this not by a unit of measure, but by the hour.

Otherwise, I entirely agree with Mr. Mundt.

Mr. Fraser, Reporter. — I should like to add a word to what Mr. Mundt has just said. I think it would be unfortunate if the de-rusting and painting of the steelwork were separated, the one to be done

by the railway company's staff, and the other by contractors.

The essence of good painting is that the paint should be applied immediately the de-rusting is completed. I can visualise that when the Company's staff carry out the de-rusting process, it must be some days before the contractor's staff would be ready to do the painting work, and then of course much of the good work done by the Company's staff would be lost.

I think that the Summary as proposed by Mr. Mundt should be allowed to stand.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — The present text, as defined by Mr. Fraser, is sufficiently wide in scope to be acceptable to everyone.

Mr. Ridet (in French). — Does Mr. Fraser agree with me?

The President. — I don't think so. Mr. Fraser wishes to retain Mr. Mundt's wording.

Mr. Bouché-Leclercq, French Est Railways (in French). — I suggest we leave out the words relating to painting in the Special Reporter's text. The following is then left:

« De-rusting work and the application of red lead by the railways' own staff should be preferred to contracting out this work. »

Mr. Desaleux (in French). — I would like to point out that on the P.L.M. all the work, including the de-rusting, is done by contract in most cases, and we have found this method most satisfactory.

I recognise that in some cases it may be better to have the work done by the railway itself, but we prefer to have it done by contract; I do not think the summaries should be so affirmative.

Mr. Driessen (in French). — I think a distinction should be made not only between de-rusting and painting, but also from the point of view of the cost of the work.

Undoubtedly the cost of carrying out the work by the railways' own staff is higher than when it is done by contract.

Account must be taken not only of the labour costs properly speaking, but also of the period between two repaintings. I am sure that if the work is done by the railway staff, this period will be much longer, and consequently it is more economical to spend more in having the work done by the railway staff rather than by contractors whose men do not always work as well as our own men.

For this reason I would like to make an addition to Mr. Munpr's text. We might say, for example:

« De-rusting work and the application of red lead and other paint by the Railway itself are to be preferred to contracting out, especially as regards the quality of the work. »

Possibly it will cost somewhat more, especially for the first costs, but in the end it is more economical.

Mr. Lang, Alsace-Lorraine Railways (in French). — I would like to say a word about the question of the quality of the work, which has just be raised.

I think that the first condition for getting good quality work is to have good workmen, well-trained gangs, men who can easily get about on even large structures. Though on some railways there may be sufficient metal bridges and large structures for gangs of this description

to be formed, this does not apply to every railway, and in this case — which applies, for example, to the Alsace-Lorraine Railways — it is much better to have recourse to contractors whose men are then much more skilled.

Under these conditions I suggest the following wording: « De-rusting work and the application of red lead, carried out either by the railway's own staff if circumstances make this possible, or by contract, the work then being paid for by the hour in order to allow of careful supervision... »

Mr. Mundt (in French). — I would like to raise once more this point: why go to a contractor when we can do the work ourselves? In this way we eliminate the profit the contractor gets from doing the work.

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — This is a complicated question which I do not think it is easy to answer.

From a purely technical point of view, I quite agree with Mr. Driessen. In Belgium, bridges are systematically and periodically maintained, and we have in fact found that the period between repaintings is longer when we ourselves have done the work.

Consequently, the quality of the work must have been better. I am speaking from the technical point of view; from the economic point of view it costs more, but as the work can be done at longer intervals I think that, taking it all in all, I prefer having the work done by the railway itself.

I would like to ask our P.L.M. colleague whether this railway has found it possible to compare the work done by the railway with that done by contract, and if, after investigation, a decision has

been taken in favour of contract work or otherwise.

The case of large bridges is different; here the workmen must be more or less acrobats, and we have generally no such men, but this is an exceptional case.

For ordinary bridges, under normal conditions, I prefer having the work

done by the railway itself.

I suggest therefore that we simply say
— since we must find a text that we
can all agree to:

« De-rusting work and the application of red lead by the railways' own staff is to be decided taking into account the quality of the work. »

It all depends in fact on the policy followed by the Railways; some Railways do not carry out such work by themselves, and consequently we cannot say we recommend it in every case.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — The word-

ing would consequently be:

« De-rusting work and the application of red lead by the railway's own staff is to be recommended taking into account the quality of the work. »

The President. — Are we agreed?

Mr. Desaleux (in French). — I will reply to Mr. Lemaire by stating that we have not made any comparative investigation between work done by the railway or by contract. Perhaps this is why we do not approve of a definite statement that this work should be done by the railways' own staff. Even the wording suggested last: « ... is to be recommended, taking into account... » is not quite to my liking, and I suggest we say: « ... may offer advantages from the point of view of the quality of the work. »

The complete text would be:

« De-rusting work and the application of red lead and other paint, carried out by the Railway's own staff, may offer advantages from the point of view of the quality of the work, as compared with the work executed by contractors. »

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — I agree about this new wording, since the comparisons are not based on the same factors. There are some Railways who always do the work themselves, whereas others always have it done by contract, and still others use both methods.

I think that Mr. Desaleux's text meets the general requirements and may be adopted.

The President. — Are there any objections?

— As no one else wished to say anything, Summary 6 was adopted in this modified form.

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 7:

7. Complete removal of mill scale, followed immediately by the application of a priming coat, reduces the danger of corrosion beneath the paint in the case of new structures, and is conducive to savings in maintenance painting work.

Mr. Balling, Paris-Orléans Railways (in French). — I am wondering if it would not be better to delete this summary. After all, the Railways do not agree about the efficacy of this method. I do not think it a good plan to state in one of the Congress' official Summaries that this method is to be recommended simply because this is the opinion of certain Railways. Furthermore the people who read the Congress Summaries will also read the discussions and so see that this question is under dispute.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — Does the

Section agree that this Summary should be deleted?

- Summary 7 was deleted.

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 8:

8. In view of the increased train speeds it is advisable, in order to ensure better preservation of old bridges, to use rails assembled by welding in order to avoid joints.

Mr. Driessen (in French). — I want to know why special mention is made of « old bridges ».

Doesn't this apply to all bridges?

Mr. Mundt (in French). — We are only dealing with the maintenance of bridges.

Mr. Driessen (in French). — We might say « all bridges » and delete the word « old ».

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — In principle I am fully in agreement with this point, but I want to ask for some further information on this question. No doubt one of the French Delegates will be able to help me.

I hear that certain French Railways have replaced lead bearings of the type usually put under bridges by rubber bearings which should give good results.

We have applied this method on the Belgian Railways to rails, by fitting rubber plates under them.

Mr. R. Lévi, French State Railways (in French). — Mr. Lemaire's question certainly applies to the French State Railways, where rubber plates have been successfully used for some years to lessen the maintenance costs of metal bridges and their brickwork.

Rubber bearings have been in use for

five years on the State system; they were first used to avoid having to rebuild a bridge which was showing traces of fatigue and it was absolutely impossible to interrupt the service in order to repair it.

The good results obtained led us to use this method generally and replace the lead bearing plates, which generally got crushed and disappeared, by rubber plates 25 to 40 mm. (1 in. to 1 9/16 in.) thick. The rubber used has been specially designed for strength, so that it will retain a certain elasticity, while having quite a long life.

The good results obtained led us in addition — this may be of interest in connection with the question we are considering — for the good preservation of the metal parts of the bridge to fit rubber plates under the longitudinal stringers, which plates, generally speaking, take up the violent shocks on the structure.

We actually found after the application of the device that there is a reduction in vibrations, and much less noise, and in the case of certain bridges wherein the main girder assemblies showed a tendency to get loose, a perfectly good condition of the joints.

For the information of those interested, I may say that an article published in the *Annales des Ponts et Chaussées* in September 1936 gave detailed information about this method.

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — I am very grateful to Mr. Lévi for the information he has just given us.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — I would like to know if this method also covers the stringers?

Mr. R. Lévi (in French). — We have sometimes plates under the stringers.

The President (in French). — I take it that there is general agreement as to Summary 8.

Mr. Mundt (in French). — Leaving out the word « old ».

— Summary 8 was adopted, leaving out the world « old », and became the new Summary 7.

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 9:

9. At the ends of movable bridges, it is advisable to provide rail joints not giving rise to shocks.

Mr. Driessen (in French). — In my opinion we should not mention « rail joints » here; it would be better to say « arrangements not giving rise to shocks from the passage of trains ».

Mr. Mundt (in French). — Yes, I think that would be better.

The President (in French). — As no objections are being raised, Summary 9 is adopted with the slight alteration suggested by Mr. DRIESSEN.

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 10:

10. Savings can be effected in many instances by the use of electric welding for repairing and strengthening bridges.

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — I agree that the use of welding makes it possible to obtain economies, but not only money savings must be envisaged, there is also the question of the operating.

I suggest we say : « Savings can be effected in many instances and interfe-

rence with the running of the traffic avoided by the use of electric welding... »

The President (in French). — Does the Section agree to this alteration?

— Adopted in this modified form (new Summary 9).

Mr. Mundt (in French). — Summary 11 of our special report has been replaced by the following:

11. The lower flanges of girders subjected to engine chimney blast can be efficaciously protected by means of reinforced concrete.

Mr. Ridet (in French). — I think this paragraph should be completed by giving the precautions that should be taken in carrying out this reinforced concrete work.

In my opinion a minimum thickness of 3 cm. (1 3/16 in.) is absolutely indispensable for encasing the metal, as otherwise the exact position of the metal relatively to the forms is unknown, so that it may be too near the surface and badly encased. If any part is badly covered, the steel will be attacked by the smoke, and the resulting rust will break up the concrete.

Therefore, I think this summary should be completed by pointing out the precautions to be taken in making the concrete casing, and the minimum thickness given as 3 cm., if the Meeting agrees.

Mr. Lang (in French). — I would like to know, as regards this Summary, if the protection of the lower flanges of bridges is yet out of the trial stage, and if it can be definitely stated that this precaution is effective, and the concrete never breaks away.

Is the experience long enough to justify adopting such a summary?

Mr. Wallace. London Midland and Scottish Railway. — I would like to say that our experience on the London Midland and Scottish Railway has been a very mixed one. We tried a lot of this protection by means of concrete cast in situ a number of years ago, and a large proportion of it has parted company with the bridges, and now, where we adopt this form of protection, we are using a pre-cast concrete member bolted to the bottom flange of the girder and grouted into position. We found that the concrete cast in situ is not standing up and resisting the blast of the locomotives, and we think that our experience has been such that we would phrase this conclusion in more general terms, and say something to the effect that in some cases it has given protection, because at any rate on the London Midland and Scottish Railway it has not given the protection desired.

Mr. Lang (in French). — Mr. Wallace's reply makes it clear that we are still in the experimental stage, specially as the method of protection he mentioned cannot be considered as a casing.

I gather from the summary that it is a question of casings. As far as I know this means putting concrete all round the steel, not precast concrete slabs. This is a way of protecting, but it is not encasing.

If the summary is to remain as it stands, we are affirming just the opposite to what Mr. Wallace has just said.

I think it would be better to give up this summary altogether.

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — I do not think we should give up this text, as this would be a negation of all progress.

I think our experience is perfectly in agreement with such an opinion; for at

least twenty years bridges have been encased and protected, either encasing them in concrete during construction, or afterwards by some sort of concrete slabs suspended and fastened to the lower part

of the metal bridge.

I think we would not be going too far if we said that in certain cases protection by means of layers of reinforced concrete or separate concrete parts has given good results. Naturally, the work must be done carefully. It is not the method that is good or bad, but the way of carrying it out, and if this protection by means of a casing or concrete slabs is carefully done, using suitable fastening means, and at least 2 to 3 cm. (25/32 to 1 3/16 in.) of concrete, the results are undeniable. Our experience on the Belgian Railways dates back before the war, and I am certain that in many cases this solution has proved its worth.

Consequently I think it would be a mistake to delete this summary; we should keep it, if only as a reminder for

the next Congress.

The President (in French). — The wording would consequently be as follows: « The lower flanges of girders submitted to engine chimney blast can, in certain cases, be efficaciously protected by means of reinforced concrete ».

Mr. Driessen (in French). — Why « the lower flanges » and not just « the flanges »?

Mr. Dubus (in French). — It means the flanges in direct contact, but we might just as well say « the flanges ».

Mr. Lang (in French). — We are affirming, therefore, that the protection is effective in certain cases? Just now Mr. Wallace protested against the use of the

word « efficaciously ». I agree with him, and this word were better left out.

Mr. Dubus — Agreed.

The President (in French). — The Summary would consequently be worded as follows: « The flanges of girders subjected to engine chimney blast can, in certain cases, be protected by means of reinforced concrete ».

- Adopted as new Summary 10.

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 12:

12. It appears advisable to appoint a special Division or Section for maintaining signal apparatus and all telegraphic and telephonic means of communication.

Mr. Bound, London Midland and Scottish Railway. — May I suggest, if it is agreable to our Continental friends, to substitute the words « together with » instead of « and », as I think that this would be more in accord with the organisation to-day.

The President (in French). — The wording would consequently be as follows: « It appears advisable to appoint a special division or section for maintaining signal apparatus, together with all telegraphic and telephonic means of communication. »

Are there any remarks?

— Summary 12 was adopted in its modified form, and became the new Summary 11.

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 13:

13. It is desirable to use the most skilled employees in the signalling services, the question of seniority being considered as of secondary importance.

Mr. Driessen (in French). — Mr. President, I think this summary is obvious, not only as regards the maintenance staff, but all the staff generally, and I think it might be deleted, seeing that this question is somewhat outside the sphere of this Section.

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The President (in French). — Does the Section agree as to the deletion of this Summary?

- Summary 13 was deleted.

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 14:

14. Periodical checking of the luminosity of signals does not appear to be necessary, as a rule; the reports of the locomotive running department staff are sufficient for pointing out any defects of signals.

Mr. Bound, — I would like to suggest this statement hardly does credit to an Administration whose aim is efficiency.

As I read it, the periodical checking of the luminosity of signal lamps (oil) is not thought to be necessary. That is very indefinite but on the London Midland and Scottish Railway we do lay stress on the necessity of periodical checks of the luminosity of signals.

In this connection I might mention there are two Sections of the Railway concerned, there is the Operating Department who trim and light the lamps and there is the Signal and Telegraph Department who provide and maintain the lamps themselves, the latter Department being responsible for correct focussing.

We expect our Inspectors when travelling about the line at night to check the focussing of the lamps whilst the trimming and burning is checked by Traffic Lamp Inspectors who are specially appointed for this duty.

It appears to me we should not wait until faults occur, but that we should try to put them right beforehand; in other words we should anticipate the conditions and so prevent having reports from the Locomotive Running Department.

The President (in French). — We might perhaps say: « Periodical checking of the luminosity of signals does not, as a rule, appear to be necessary to all Administrations... »

Mr. Fraser. — I am of the opinion that the reports of the train staff should be sufficient, but this view does not agree with that of the L.M.S. Delegate, who wishes periodical checks to be carried out.

The President (in French). — It appears that the representatives of two British Railways, are of a different opinion, and that the wording should be altered.

Mr. Dubus — It is therefore a question of finding a solution which satisfies everybody.

The President (in French). — I suggest the following text: « Periodical checking of the luminosity of signals is not thought to be necessary by all Administrations; the reports of the locomotive running department staff are considered from their point of view sufficient for pointing out defects of signals.»

Does everybody agree?

— Summary 14 (new 12) was adopted in this modified form.

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 15:

15. It is desirable that maintenance staff responsible for checking the detector slide clearance use a special gauge.

— Summary 15 was adopted (new N° 13).

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 16:

16. It is as a rule advisable to slightly under-run signal lamps.

Mr. Driessen (in French). — This is obvious.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — I agree; this summary is obvious to every electrician.

Mr. Ridet (in French). — I should like to know, in connection with this summary, if any Delegates have made experiments to find out under what conditions the phantom effects are reduced to the minimum. There is no mention of phantom effects in the summaries, but they are mentioned in the reports, and I would like to profit by the discussion on the question of lamps to learn if any railway has made trials like those we have undertaken on the Est System.

The result of our experiments is that phantom effects are appreciably reduced if pear-shaped lamps are used instead of spherical bulbs which give a greater reflection.

Mr. Fraser. — All the Administrations covered by my report favour the adoption of vizors.

Mr. Ridet (in French). — In my opinion this is not enough.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — This point is actually outside our subject.

The President (in French). — Are there any objections as regards Summary 16?

— Summary 16 was adopted (new N° 14).

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 17:

17. Rigid point rodding consisting of tubes or rolled sections has, as compared to double galvanised wires, the drawback of requiring repainting at regular intervals.

Mr. Lang (in French). — In its present form this summary shows a marked preference for two-wire transmissions, this preference being based on a secondary point of view, namely the painting. Now, I do not think that there is unanimous agreement on the subject of double-wire transmissions and rigid point rodding.

On our Railway System, we much prefer the rigid point rodding. Though it is accurate to state that such rodding requires re-painting, I do not think this is a drawback, and I want the word « drawback » to be deleted; for example we might say: « Rigid point rodding consisting of tubes or rolled sections must be repainted at regular intervals ».

This wording will, I think, meet with everyone's approval.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — I suggest we delete this summary.

Mr. Mundt. — Agreed.

Mr. Lemaire (in French). — My opinion is contrary to that of Mr. Lang. We prefer double galvanised wires to rigid point rodding, and when carrying out complete overhaul or systematic maintenance of the equipment, we are removing the rigid point rodding.

I also think that the best solution would be to delete this summary which is not very interesting from the point of view of maintenance.

The President (in French). — Does

the Section agree as to the deletion of this summary?

- Summary 17 was deleted.

Summary 18:

18. The use of enamelled iron signal arms is, in the long run, more economical.

The President. — Are there any remarks?

- Adopted (as new Summary 15).

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 19:

19. It appears unnecessary to remove track circuit relays for overhaul in the workshops at regular intervals, if well trained staff are available, who can examine them in situ

Mr. Balling (in French). — I wish to point out that the employee who checks in situ has not to touch the relays, which are generally sealed; he merely has to check (vérifier) the characteristics, but does not open the relay. This can only be done in the shops. I am in favour of a simple examination in the track.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — Can you suggest a text?

Mr. Balling. — We might say: « It appears unnecessary to remove track circuit relays for periodic overhaul, if well trained staff are available who can examine (« examiner ») the characteristics in situ ».

The President (in French). — I do not quite grasp the difference between « examiner » and « vérifier ».

Mr. Balling (in French). — What I want to make quite clear is that the dif-

ferent parts of the relays are not to be touched; the employee merely connects his voltmeter or ammeter, looks at the registration, and that is all.

Mr. Bound. — I propose that the wording of the Summary should be altered to read: « It is desirable to remove track circuit relays for periodical overhaul in the workshops. »

The President (in French). — This opinion is quite the opposite of that which has just been voiced.

Mr. Ridet (in French). — In my opinion, the different opinions must be taken into account, or the whole summary deleted.

Mr. Driessen (in French). — If we added: « ... if the staff are available and there is time to make the examination »?

The President (in French). — I suggest that « ... without any interruption of the traffic » be added to Mr. Balling's wording.

We would thus have: « It appears unnecessary to remove track circuit relays for periodical examination if well-trained staff are available who can examine them in situ without any interruption of the traffic. »

Are there any objections?

— Summary 19 was adopted in this form, and became the new summary 16.

The President (in French). — I suggest that the Meeting be closed now, and the remainder of the summaries be discussed to-morrow. (Adopted.)

The Meeting ended at 11.35 a.m.

Meeting held on June 10th, 1937.

MR. Y. HASHIGUCHI, VICE-PRESIDENT, IN THE CHAIR.

The meeting began at 9.30 a.m.

The President. — Gentlemen, today we will continue the discussions on Question III, going on to the summaries dealing with the metal supports carrying the contact wire on electric railways.

Mr. Mundt, the Special Reporter, will begin the proceedings.

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 20:

20. With a view to eliminating or reducing re-painting of supports carrying the overhead contact wires, it appears that complete galvanisation of the supports gives the best results.

Mr. Dubus (in French). — Does everyone agree with this summary?

— Adopted (as the new No. 17).

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 21:

21. Metal spraying of supports carrying contact wires does not always provide sufficient protection against rusting of steel parts.

Mr. Eggenberger, Swiss Federal Railways (in German). — We use metal spraying when the supports are not riveted, as they cannot be completely galvanised. To give a better and more effective coating, an additional coat of oil paint is given to fill up any pores which may have been left after metal spraying. This additional precaution has given satisfactory results, and I suggest the following addition be made to Summary 21:

« In every case it is as well to give a

further coat of oil paint to fill up any pores that may be left. »

Mr. Dubus (in French). — I suggest this summary be completed as follows:

« As a precautionary measure, a final coat of linseed oil paint should be applied in order to fill up any pores which may have been left as the result of the metal spraying. »

Is this agreed?

— Summary 21 was adopted as new Summary 18.

Mr. Mundt. — Summary 22:

22. The use of supports consisting of rolled sections with wide flanges, to which tie-rods or brackets are fixed, lowers the initial cost as well as maintenance costs.

Mr. Balling (in French). — I should like to add to the end: « ... in the majority of cases. » There are circumstances in which this is really not advantageous, though it may be in many cases.

The President. — This summary would then read as follows:

« The use of supports consisting of rolled sections with wide flanges which have the tie-rods or brackets clamped instead of being bolted or riveted, lowers the initial, as well as the maintenance costs in the majority of cases. »

Is there any objection?

- Adopted as New Summary 19.

The President. — Gentlemen, this ends the discussion on Question III, the last point on the Agenda of Section I, and I wish to thank you for the interest you have shown in our discussions and the way in which you have collaborated in making this Session a success. (Applause.)

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Mr. Lemaire in French). - I think,

Gentlemen, that you will all agree with me in thanking the President of our Section, as well as the talented and courageous Secretaries, who have devoted so much time to ensuring the smooth running of the work of the Section. (Applause.)

— The Meeting then was brought to an end.

DISCUSSION AT THE PLENARY MEETING.

(June 11th, 1937).

Mr. LE BESNERAIS, VICE PRESIDENT, IN THE CHAIR.

GENERAL SECRETARIES: MESSRS. P. GHILAIN, DE BOYSSON AND CAMBOURNAC. ASSISTANT GENERAL SECRETARIES: SIR H. NIGEL GRESLEY AND DR. TH. KITTEL.

Mr. Ghilain, General Secretary. — We now have to examine the summaries relative to Question III, which were published in the Daily Journal of the Session, Nos. 7 and 8.

— These summaries were then read out.

The President. — Is there any objection to this wording?

- No objections were raised.

The summaries of Question III will consequently be considered as ratified.

Summaries.

- « 1. It is advisable that the staff res-« ponsible for the design and construc-« tion of metal bridges should directly « or indirectly intervene in the main-« tenance of such structures.
- « 2. Depending on the size of the « bridge, the use of pneumatic or elec- « tric de-rusting apparatus will, in cer- « tain cases, reduce maintenance costs.
- « 3. When periodical re-painting is « undertaken, it is sometimes unneces-« sary to treat large surfaces which are « still in a good state of preservation, « in the same manner as necessary for « other surfaces, unless æsthetic con-« siderations require it; in such a case it

- « should be sufficient to apply only the « final coat.
- « 4. With a view to avoiding the con-« tingency of removing scaffolding, it « is advisable to apply a binding mate-« rial which makes it possible to apply « the following coat of paint soon after « the previous coat is put on.
- « 5. The use of spray-painting can, in certain cases, enable a saving in the painting of bridges to be effected.
- « 6. De-rusting work and the appli« cation of red lead and other paint,
 « carried out by the Railway's own staff,
 « may offer advantages from the point
 « of view of the quality of the work,
 « as compared with the work executed
 « by contractors.
- « 7. In view of the increased train
 « speeds, it is advisable, in order to
 « ensure better preservation of bridges,
 « to use rails assembled by welding in
 « order to avoid joints.
- « 8. At the ends of movable bridges, « it is advisable to provide arrangements « not giving rise to shocks from the pas- « sage of trains.
- « 9. Savings can be effected in many « instances, and interference with the « running of the traffic avoided, by the

- « use of electric welding for repairing « and strengthening bridges.
- « 10. The flanges of girders subjected « to engine chimney blast can, in cer-« tain cases, be protected by means of « reinforced concrete.
- « 11. It appears advisable to appoint « a special division or section for main-« taining signal apparatus, together with « all telegraphic and telephonic means « of communication.
- « 12. Periodical checking of the lumi-« nosity of signals is not thought to be « necessary by all Administrations; the « reports of the locomotive running de-« partment staff are considered, from « their point of view, sufficient for point-« ing out defects of signals.
- « 13. It is desirable that maintenance « staff responsible for checking the de-« tector slide clearance use a special « gauge.
- « 14. It is, as a rule, advisable, to « slightly under-run signal lamps.
 - « 15. The use of enamelled iron signal

- « arms is, in the long run, more econo-« mical.
- « 16. It appears unnecessary to remove « track circuit relays for periodical exa-« mination if well-trained staff are avai-« lable who can examine them in situ « without any interruption of the traffic.
- « 48. Metal spraying of supports car-« rying contact wires does not always « provide sufficient protection against « rusting of steel parts.
- « As a precautionary measure, a final « coat of linseed oil paint should be « applied, in order to fill up any pores « which may have been left as the result « of the metal spraying.
- « 49. The use of supports consisting of rolled sections with wide flanges which have the tie-rods or brackets clamped instead of being bolted or riveted, lowers the initial, as well as the maintenance costs in the majority of cases.

Competition by roads, waterways and airways.

(Continued) (*).

NORWAY.

Information received from the General Management of the Norwegian State Railways.

In order to meet road competition and also with a view to a general easement of the system of railway rates and charges in operation, the Act of 1st October, 1936, authorised the issue of revised tariffs.

As regards goods traffic, the new scales of charges are based on the following principles.

Express goods service.

There is a tariff for small parcels of 5, 10, 15, 20 and 25 kgr. (11, 22, 33, 44 and 55 lb.), the scale of charges being as follows:

Distance. Km. (Miles).	Up to 5 kgr. a kr. (*)	5.1 to 10 kgr. b	10.1 to 15 kgr.	15.1 to 20 kgr. d kr.	20.1 to 25 kgr.
1 to 70 (1 to 43.5). 71 to 140 (4.41 to 87). 141 to 210 (87.6 to 130.5). 211 to 300 (131.1 to 186 4). 301 to 600 (187.0 to 372.8). Over 600 (372.8). (*) Kr. = Norwegian crown	0.40	0.40	0.50	0.60	0.70
	0.40	0.50	0.80	1.00	1.20
	0.50	0.70	1.40	1.40	1.60
	0.60	0.90	1.40	1.80	1.90
	0.60	1.00	1.60	2.00	2.40
	0.80	1.20	2.00	2.40	2.80

Parcels sent carriage forward are charged 0.20 kr. extra.

Less than wagon load traffic.

Consignments weighing under 5 tons (part loads) are charged under class 1i (carriage paid) or class 1i (carriage forward) as the case may be.

Full wagon load traffic.

Class 2*i* contains charges for wagon loads « carriage paid » and « carriage forward », with a minimum of 5 tons per wagon.

Perishable goods in less than wagon loads are consigned as « express goods » and charged at the rates for « ordinary goods », fresh herrings and other fish being similarly dealt with.

^(*) See Bulletin of the Railway Congress Association since June 1934 issue.

Ordinary (slow) goods service.

Part load traffic.

Class 1 (carriage paid) and Class 1 (carriage forward) apply to consignments of less than 1 ton, the goods being charged for according to weight.

Consignments of 1 ton and over, as well as vegetables, grain, fodder, manure, etc. in lots of less than 1 ton come under class 3 « carriage paid » or « carriage forward ».

For loads of 2 tons and over there is a competitive scale of rates in internal traffic for distances under 200 km. (124 miles), the charges coinciding with the ordinary rates at 300 km. (186 miles) and beyond. Up to 200 km., the rates for the « carriage paid » traffic according to this scale are the same as in classes 4 and 5 for full wagon loads.

Full wagon load traffic.

For traffic consigned in full wagon loads there are 6 ordinary classes: 4, 5, 6, 7, 8, 9, and an exceptional class U. Prior to the 1st October 1936, there was also a class 3 for full wagon loads, but this has been abolished under the new

The rates take into account the value of the goods, consignments being charged in accordance with the scales applicable to the class in which they are placed.

There are rates for 5-ton and 10-ton wagon loads, over 10 tons being charged at a lower rate than 5-ton consignments.

The charges are differential, the basic rates of the various scales being as shewn in the following table (in öre [0.01 kr.] per 100 kgr. [210 lb.]).

Distance.	Express goods.	Ordinary goods.								
	Truck loads.	Part	loads.		Wagon loads					
	2 i	1 (*)	3 (*)	4	5	6	7	8	9	U.
Fixed charge.	50	30	30	18	18	15	11	9	9	8
Charge per km. (per mile): 1 to 100 km. (0.6 to 62 miles). 101 to 200 km. (62.8 to 124.3). 201 to 300 km. (124.9 to 186.4). 301 to 500 km. (187.0 to 310.7). Over 300 (500) km. (186.4 [310.7]) (*) " Carriage forward " only.	2.00 1.30 1.00 0.60 0.30	1.50 1.50 1.50 0.60 0.30	1.50 0.90 0.50 0.30	0.90 0.50 0.87 0.30	0.90 0.50 0.40 0.30	0.75 0.40 0.30 0.27	0.55 0.32 0.25	0.47 0.24 0.23 0.23	0 40 0.24 0.22 0.22	0.32 0.24 0.22 0.22

Subject to a minimum chargeable distance of 10 km., (6.2 miles), the actual charges proceed in steps of 2 km. (1.24 miles) up to 100 km. (62 miles), 5 km. (3.1 miles) from 101 to 500 km. (62.8 to 310 miles) and 10 km. (6.2 miles) above 500 km. Amounts are rounded off to the next öre.

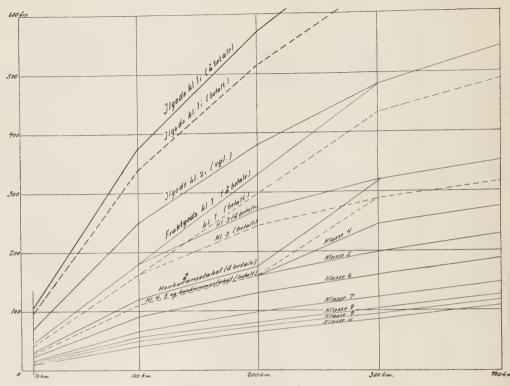
The charges for express part loads sent « carriage forward » are 50 % over class 2i.

The following graph shews the difference between the tariff classes.

Loading and unloading of wagon load

consignments devolve upon the consignor and consignee.

The fixed charge covers the station



Graph showing the goods rates.

Explanation of Norwegian terms:

Ilgods kl. ii (å betale) = express goods class ii (carriage forward). = Ilgods kl. ii (betalt) = express goods, class ii (carriage paid). — Ilgods kl. 2i (vgl) = express goods, class 2i (truck loads). — Fraktgods kl. i (å betale) = ordinary goods, class ii (carriage forward). — Fraktgods kl. ii (betalt) = ordinary goods, class ii (carriage paid). — Kl. 4,5 og Konkuransetakst (betalt) = class ii and ii and ii and ii arriage paid ordinary goods, class ii (carriage paid). — Kl. ii and ii arriage paid ordinary goods, class ii (carriage paid). — Kl. ii arriage paid ordinary goods, class ii (carriage paid). — Kl. ii arriage paid ordinary goods, class ii (carriage paid). — Kl. ii arriage paid ordinary goods, class ii arriage paid ordinary goods, class

charges, including loading and unloading in the case of part load traffic.

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Flat rates for certain traffics.

There are flat rates on a per package basis irrespective of distance for consignments of fresh or salted herrings and other fish, kippered cod, mackerel, eggs, fruit, cheese, potatoes and cabbages, packed as specified.

In certain cases, however, there are two rates — one for distances under 600 km. (373 miles) and the other for distances from 601 to 1000 km. (373.6 to 621 miles). Flat rates are quoted for both express and ordinary goods.

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Extension of competitive rates.

The competitive rates have already been mentioned. For the conveyance of

part load traffic, agreements are made with firms using franking machines.

The simplicity of this way of calculating the cost of transport for small consignments makes it possible in a large measure to leave the traders to ascertain the rates themselves by means of the detailed scales of charges supplied. Actually all they have to do is to find out the exact amount from this scale.

The State Railways have made a series of private agreements with certain firms under which special charges are not applied and a certain rebate on carriage charges is allowed in return for an undertaking on the part of the firms to consign all their less than wagon load traffic by rail whenever the destination point is rail-served. The arrangement excludes short-distance traffic within a radius of 30 km. (18.6 miles) which may be delivered by the firms' own vehicles, also traffic for which for one reason or another the firms' clients insist on some other form of transport. All such cases, however, must be notified to the railway.

The firms are required to ascertain the freight charges themselves, the accounts thereof being recorded by means of franking machines which are installed at their premises and may be rented or purchased outright.

The carriage accounts are settled twice monthly, the amount payable being as indicated by the machine, less the agreed rebate.

The firms using franking machines enjoy the additional advantage that any uncertainty in the payment of carriage charges, which previously were paid currently in cash by messengers or clients, is avoided, and that the railway account can be ascertained at any moment from the machine.

A large number of agreements of this nature have been concluded, and the arrangement appears to be working very satisfactorily.

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In internal traffic, the system of rates and charges does not include any maximum and minimum limits and there are no exceptional or groupage rates.

As regards groupage traffic the internal tariff contains the following clause:

« Two or more senders or two or more consignees may load into the same wagon, subject to only one of them and one consignee being shewn in the consignment note. »

Formerly a proportional reduction was granted in the case of large consignments but after the publication of the internal tariff of 1st October, 1936, these reductions have been successively discontinued.

The new tariff contains the following fidelity clause:

« The three lower classes, namely, Class 8 for a minimum of 5 tons per wagon and Classes 9 and U for a minimum of 10 tons (6 1/2 tons on narrowgauge lines) are only available for traders loyal to the railway, i.e., traders who in general send their traffic by rail whenever the destination point is rail-served. »

As regards traders who only use the railway for their lower-rated commodities and send their higher-rated traffic by other forms of transport, the rate applied is Class 7 as a minimum in the case of 5-ton loads, and Class 8 for loads of 10 tons or paying for that weight.

Passenger traffic.

Four-day return tickets with a reduction up to 19 % were introduced on September 1st, 1935, for distances under 300 km. (186 miles), and the fast-train supplement has in most cases been discontinued.

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Legislation.

Under the Act of 21st June, 1935, the rules relating to liability were modified in the direction of increased compensation as from 1st Januari, 1936, and the Ministry was empowered to regulate in greater detail the hours and conditions of labour in the road transport industry.

Class Ce 2/4 light electric motor coaches of the Bernese Alps Railway (Berne-Loetschberg-Simplon),

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The Bernese Alps Railway Company, Berne-Loetschberg-Simplon (B.L.S.), towards the end of 1935, put into service five light electric motor coaches with four pairs of wheels (two bogies), operating at 45 000 volts, single-phase current, 16 2/3 cycles per sec. These light motor coaches were not intended to provide supplementary services on the secondary lines of the B.L.S. (see map, figure 1)—

because with the electric traction already in use on these lines since 1920 the trains are almost as frequent as on a main line—but to lighten the weight of the trains and increase the percentage of useful weight compared with the gross weight of the train.

Up to the present the electric traction on these lines has been effected by Ce 4/6 class locomotives with a tare

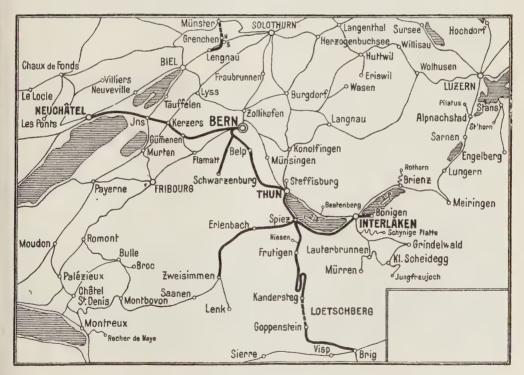


Fig. 1. — Map of the Bernese Alps (Berne-Loetschberg-Simplon) Railway.

weight of 70 tonnes (68.9 Engl. tons) and a power of 200 H.P. at a speed of 35 km. (21.7 miles) an hour. With the minimum admissible composition of 3 or 4 carriages of 15 tonnes (14.75 Engl. tons) tare weight, including one luggagebrake van, the total weight of the train was 125 to 130 tonnes (123 to 128 Engl. tons) and the useful load 10 tonnes (9.8 Engl. tons) at the most. The proportion of the useful load to the total load therefore was often only 7 to 8 %, which is obviously insufficient. Actually the average figures for the year on these lines were still more unfavourable, being about 6 %, which shews that the seats available were far from being completely filled, even if the composition of the trains in service is reduced to the minimum. It was necessary, therefore, to reduce the gross weight of the trains so that the ratio of useful weight to total weight might be higher. The resulting trains being much lighter consume less current in proportion, with a corresponding saving; furthermore the lighttrain staff can be reduced to the minimum (one, or at the most two employees) which again reduces the operating expenses. Now, the essential aim of the introduction of light motor coaches on the B.L.S. lines is the reduction of working costs.

These are the considerations which led the B.L.S. to order in the first place five light motor coaches, type Ce 2/4 (1), after consideration of tenders, from the following Swiss Companies: 3 motor coaches from the Winterthur Locomotive Works (S.L.M.) for the mechanical part and the Sécheron Works, Geneva, (S.A.A.S.), for the electrical part;

2 motor coaches from the Neuhausen Swiss Industrial Company (S.I.G.) for the mechanical part, and from the Brown-Boveri Company, Baden (B.B.C.) and the Oerlikon Works, Zurich (M.F.O.) for

the electrical part.

The three Winterthur/Sécheron motor coaches have been allotted to the Spiez-Erlenbach (Zweisimmen), the Gürbetal (Berne-Belp-Thun) and the Berne-Neuchâtel direct lines.

The Neuhausen/Brown-Boveri motor coach has been allotted to the Loetschberg railway which in its turn handed it over to the Berne-Schwarzenberg line; finally the Neuhausen/Oerlikon coach has been allotted to the Berne-Neuchâtel direct line.

The following are the various characteristics of the different vehicles:

RAILWAY,	Coach.	Builders,	Overall length.	Number of places.		Tare, metric (Engl.) tons.
Gurbetal	Ce 2/4 691	S.L.M. Sécheron.	20.90 m. (68' 7")	93 seated 20 standing.	400	35.2 (34.6)
	Ce 2/4 701	Do.	20.90 m. (68° 7°°)	Do.	400	35.2
Berne-Neuchâtel (direct).	Ce 2/4 726	Do.	20.90 m. (68' 7")	Do.	400	35.2
Berne-Neuchâtel (direct).	Ce 2/4 727	S.I.G. Oerlikon.	19.40 m. (63' 8")	65 seated 50 standing.	400	31.7
Loetschberg	Ce 2/4 787	S.I.G. Brown-Boveri.	19.40 m. (63' 8")	Do.	400	32.6 (32.1)

⁽¹⁾ Ce 2/4 = Third-class eight-wheeled electric motor coach with two driving pairs of wheels.

The five motor coaches each have a horse-power of 400, provided by two motors at a speed of 50 km. (31 miles) an hour. The maximum speed for all the motor coaches has been fixed at 90 km. (56 miles) an hour on account of the track conditions of the different lines. At the same time, during running trials with all the coaches the speed has been increased without trouble up to 100 km. (62 miles) an hour on heavier track, where this speed was allowed, amongst other places in the long Loetschberg tunnel (14.6 km. = 9.07 miles).

The tare per seat available is 342 kgr. (685.6 lb.) for the first three coaches, and 280 kgr. (647.3 lb.) for the last two coaches in the above table.

The following information about the construction of the different motor coaches will be of interest:

(1) S.L.M. Winterthur/Sécheron motor coaches (fig. 2).

These coaches have the following spe-

cial features: The platforms at first provided at the two ends have been converted into small luggage compartments with moveable seats; an additional door has been provided at the end with a gangway to allow passage from the motor coach to a trailing vehicle; the non-smoking compartment contains 40 seats against 30 in the smoking compartment, which makes the coach 1.50 m. (4' 11") longer than the Neuhausen coaches.

The all-metal body is assembled by electric welding. It has an insulating interior lining. The floor is of linoleum on compressed cork and corrugated plate. All the seats are upholstered so as to offer the maximum comfort to the passengers (fig. 3). The large-paned windows allow unrestricted view along the whole of the body.

The bogies with wheels of 900 mm. (2' 11 1/2") diameter, in annealed cast steel, have a wheelbase of 3 m. (9' 10 1/8") (fig. 4). One of the bogies is

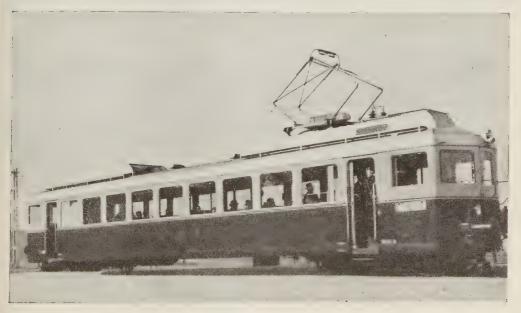


Fig. 2. - Sécheron-Winterthur light motor coach.



Fig. 3. — Interior of a motor coach.

driving, the other simply carrying. The frame is inside the wheels. The body rests on the bogic frame by means of longitudinal leaf springs, as is the practice in new carriage bogic construction. The axleboxes are roller bearing, which ensures the minimum running resistance. In fact, the coaches will start by gravity on the 1 in 500 to 1 in 333 gradients of certain stations if care is not taken to keep the brakes on. The suspension of the axles on the bogic frame is by means of strong helical springs.

The running of these motor coaches is very smooth and quiet, even at the maximum speed of 100 km. (62 miles) an hour.

A particular feature of the electrical

equipment is that the transformer is situated on the roof in immediate proximity to the pantograph collector (fig. 5). In this way conduction of high-tension current is avoided. The graduation contactors are coupled to the transformers, so that even in the low-tension circuit in the interior of the coach there is only the current going from the self-induction coils to the reverser and thence to the two motors. From the point of view of curve negociation this very simple arrangement has the drawback of concentrating the vehicle weight at a point fairly high above the rail level. The effect of centrifugal force on small-radius curves has been compensated by a stabilising device, so that curves can be run



Fig. 4. — Sécheron-Winterthur bogie.

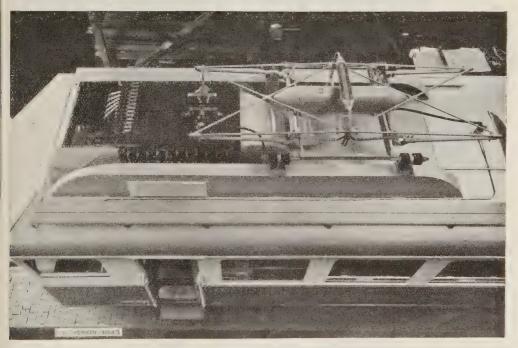


Fig. 5. — Arrangement of transformer on the roof.

through without any trouble up to the maximum speed authorised by the existing regulations, and even 5 km. (3.1 miles) an hour in excess of it.

The frame of the six-pole traction motors is welded throughout (fig. 6). Their power at the hourly rate is 200 H.P., corresponding to a speed of 50 km. (31 miles) an hour and a tractive effort

of 1 000 kgr. (2 200 lb.). This tractive effort allows the haulage of loads up to 40 tonnes (39.4 Engl. tons), according to the profile of the line, without diminution of speed. The fact that it can haul a trailer has proved very useful, as the motor coach can be used even if the number of passengers exceeds its loading capacity and prevents undue crowding of

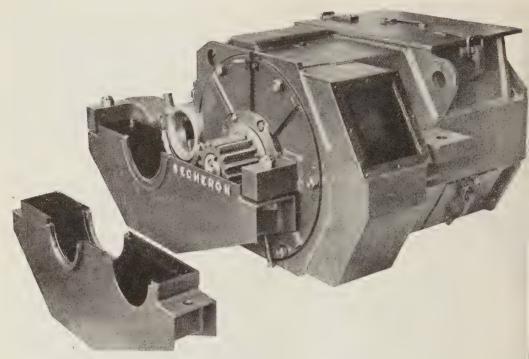


Fig. 6. — 200-H.P. motor, with completely welded frame.

passengers into the single vehicle. In fact, the service assigned to these motor coaches necessitates the frequent haulage of coaches, luggage vans and mail vans, as well as express goods vehicles.

The motor coaches are provided with hand brake, simple automatic Westinghouse brake, and electric brake. For the latter, the motors are excited by the alternating current, and feed into a fixed resistance in the roof, the braking effect being regulated by the variation of the current exciting the motors. With this brake, the speed of the motor coach on falling gradients can be regulated, and speed reduced on entering stations, so that the Westinghouse brake need only be used for stopping.

Heating and lighting are naturally arranged electrically following the normal

Swiss practice (heating at 1000 volts, lighting at 36 volts d.c.). Signal lamps of the Scintilla automobile beacon type are fitted, and the top signal light is changeable to red (authority for running). The lighting current is produced by a single-phase to d.c. converter group, connected with a nickel-iron SAFT 100 amp.-h. battery.

As it is intended primarly to work these motor coaches as single units with one man, a loud-speaker installation has been provided on the five coaches, so that the driver can announce the stations in advance without leaving his post.

Each motor coach is also provided with a safety device, consisting of a pedal and automatic brake relay, in case anything should happen to the driver.

(2) S.I.G./Oerlikon and Brown-Boveri motor coaches.

These coaches are 1.50 m. (4' 11") shorter than the Winterthur coaches, the non-smoking compartment having only 30 seats like the smoking compartment. There are large platforms at the two ends, about 2.80×2.80 m. (9' 2" \times 9'2") for either standing passengers, luggage or post parcels. The ends of the coaches are rounded off so as to reduce air resistance, and the windows of the platforms are sloped towards the back, so that the whole arrangement is streamlined to some extent (fig 7).

The bodies are all-metal, the underframe and sides being arc-welded throughout, and then assembled and fastened by the roof arches, to which a soft iron plate

is welded.

The body thus assembled and finished was tested in the presence of engineers of the Federal Traffic Department with various loads, which demonstrated the rigidity and strength of this form of construction.

The floor is also in linoleum, on compressed cork and corrugated plate.

The floor is 980 mm. (3' 2 5/8") above rail level, and is reached by three steps, the bottom one of which can be tipped up during running, as it comes outside the constructional gauge.

The reduced height of the floor compared with ordinary coaches greatly facilitates and speeds up the entry and exit of passengers.

The bogies, with a wheelbase of 2.80 m. (9' 2") in the case of the Neuhausen/ Oerlikon coach (No. 727) (fig. 8), and 3.40 m. (11' 2") in the case of the Neuhausen/Brown-Boveri coach (No. 787), are of robust construction, electric welding having been used exclusively.

The body also rests on two strong longitudinal leaf springs; the bogie pivot in this case is in the form of a large-diameter supporting ring for the body, and is connected to the longitudinal suspension springs by very strong arms, forming a bogie bolster. The body rests on the ring by means of four bronze segments.



Fig. 7. — Oerlikon-Neuhausen light motor coach.

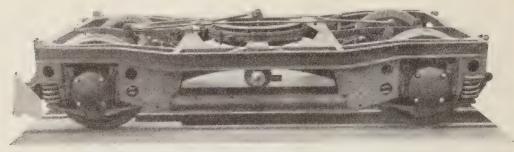


Fig. 8. — Bogie of Oerlikon-Neuhausen motor coach.

The axles are of the light type, hollowed, with light 80-cm. (2' 7 1/2") diameter tyred wheels.

The bogie frames are fitted with double suspension, ensuring by this fact, very smooth running at all speeds.

The bogies of the Neuhausen/Brown-Boveri coach (No. 787) (fig. 9), intended for the Berne-Schwarzenberg Railway, a very tortuous line with curves of as little as 180 m. (9 chains) radius and 1 in 29 gradients, are fitted with guided pairs of wheels. These bogies are a little more complicated in design and are composed of a main frame A (outline, fig. 10) taking the body supporting ring with longitudinal suspension springs and two pivots for the articulation of the frames B and C of the two pairs of wheels and their radial positioning on the curves.

The two frames B and C are also connected with each other and with the body by a SFEDR gear (fig. 10) which pro-

gressively displaces the pairs of wheels till they have taken up a radial position to the curve. Each bogie has a guiding pair of wheels (outer pair) and a driving pair provided with a 200-H.P. electric motor. Tests carried out in the laboratory of the Neuhausen Swiss Industrial Company, as well as on the running line, have shewn that the pairs of wheels take up an exactly radial position relatively to the curve.

This arrangement, patented by the Neuhausen Swiss Industrial Company, SIG/VRL system, is exceptionally favourable to the good running of the motor coach through curves, and comparative trials with other light motor coaches on this line have shewn that the vehicles with rigid pairs of wheels do not run through curves nearly as smoothly as those with guided pairs of wheels.

This device also increases the life of both tyres and rails to a large extent, and

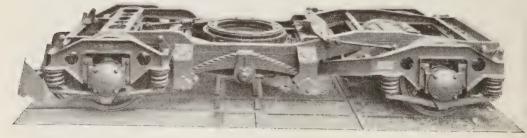
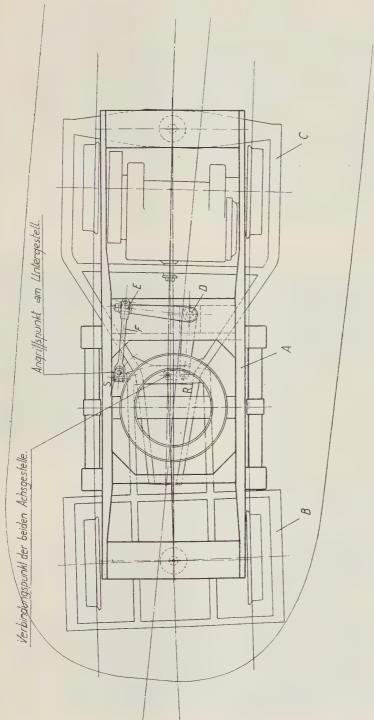


Fig. 9. — Bogie of Brown-Boveri/Neuhausen motor coach, with patented S.I.G./V.R.L. wheel guiding system.



Note. — Verbindungspunkt der beiden Achsgestelle = Articulation of the two axle frames. — Angrills-punkt am Untergestell = Point of attachment to the coach body. - Plan of bogie with guided pair of wheels, S.I.G./V.R.L. system. Fig. 10.

the maintenance of the track will also benefit by it.

In fact, after running nearly 100 000 km. (62 000 miles) on the tortuous Berne-Schwarzenberg line, the tyres shewed only 1/2 mm. (0.0195") wear, and the flanges practically no wear.

The electrical gear of the two Oerlikon and Brown-Boveri coaches is situated in the front and rear of the vehicles on the platform in front of the driver's seat. The transformer with speed regulator is on one side and the compressor, the converter — and on the Oerlikon coach, another speed regulator — on the other side (figs. 14 and 12).

On the latter coach the speed regulator is hand-operated, as is the reverser; on the Brown-Boveri coach the regulator is worked by a servo-motor operated by a small fly-wheel.

The motors are also of 200 H.P., giving at a speed of 60 km. (37.3 miles) an hour a tractive effort of 1000 kgr. (2200 lb.) per pair of wheels at the tread.

The Oerlikon and Brown-Boveri motors are of the same construction, and are six-pole. Here also the tractive effort provided by the motors is sufficient to allow the coupling of trailers up to 40 tons.

During the trial runs the following accelerations have been obtained from standing, with the motor coach alone:

On the level, a speed of 90 km. (56 miles) an hour is reached in 55 seconds after running 800 m. (2624');

On a 1 in 55 gradient, a speed of 70 km. (43.5 miles) an hour is reached in 64 seconds, after running 700 m. (2 297');

On a 1 in 45 gradient the same speed is reached in 73 seconds after running a distance of 770 m. (2 526).

The motors can brake electrically; for this purpose they are energised by direct current provided by the converter set.



Fig. 11. — Oerlikon single-phase, 16 2/3-cycle 160-kVa. stepped transformer.

The braking power, therefore, is obviously higher than on the Sécheron coaches, and the vehicle speed can be slowed down more on entering stations, but this is not done, as the Westinghouse brakes must be used in the same way on all the motor coaches.

As regards the Westinghouse brake, the safety pedal, lighting and heating, the two motor coaches are exactly similar to the Sécheron/Winterthur coaches.

The driving compartments of all the vehicles have been arranged as uniform-

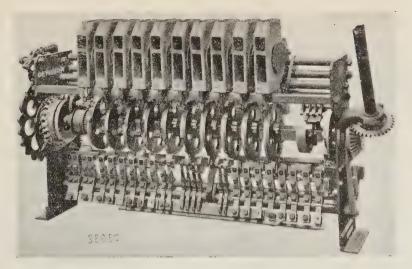
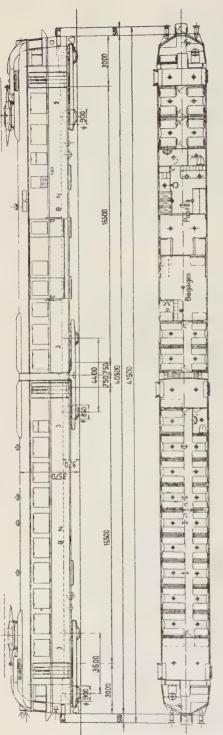


Fig. 12. — Oerlikon controller, for running and braking, with direct control.



Fig. 13. — Sécheron-Winterthur driver's compartment.



Light articulated train of the Berne-Loetschberg-Simplon Railway.
 Passengers carried: 180. — Tare: 67.5 t. (66.4 Engl. tons)

ly as possible, so that the drivers can use them all without difficulty (fig. 13).

The five motor coaches are now in regular service on the lines to which they have been allotted. They replace the ordinary trains whenever these were found to be too heavy for the traffic. With the present services they cover a total of 1783 km. (1108 miles) on lines having lengths of only 21, 34, 36 and 43 km. (13.0, 21.1, 22.4, and 26.7 miles).

Their high speed and rapid acceleration have allowed at the same time a shortening of running times. In spite of increased mileages, since the introduction of these light vehicles, the consumption of electric current has decreased by 5 to 10 %, according to the lines on which

they are operated.

The public appreciate these elegant, comfortable and fast vehicles, and this doubtless has contributed to the retention of passengers who were tempted to abandon railway transport in favour of its competitors.

The light motor coaches often are used during the summer and during the winter sports seasons for the transport of parties who would otherwise travel by

road motor coach.

In view of the success of these light electric motor coaches and their experience with them, the Bernese Alps Railway Company (BLS.) has ordered three light trains composed of two coupled motor coaches on three bogies, with the position of the pairs of wheels controlled by means of the S.I.G./V.R.L.gear. two single motor coaches similar to those already supplied by Sécheron/Winterthur (fig. 2), and another light train consisting of a coupled motor coach and trailer on three bogies, — one driving and two carrying - for the Berne-Schwarzenberg line. These vehicles should be delivered during 1938.

Steam self-propelled passenger train of the New-York, New Haven and Hartford Railway (*).



Fig. 1. — Exterior view of power end showing condenser on roof, power truck and removable coupler.

The New York, New Haven and Hartford Railway has recently placed in service a steam self-propelled streamlined modernized passenger train, the power equipment for which was furnished by Besler Systems, Davenport-Besler Corporation, Davenport, Iowa.

Two twenty-year old steel coaches were remodelled for this train. The train as completed has a:

Total horsepower	. 550
Horsepower at rail	. 500
Seating capacity	. 152
Baggage capacity	. 12 ft3 000 lb.
Overall length, ft. and in	. 163'2½"
Total weight, ready to run, lb	. 303 600
Distributed weight, power truck, lb.	. 104 000
Trailer truck, power car, lb	. 67 000
Trailer, inside truck, lb	. 65 000
Trailer, leading truck, lb	. 65 600
Weight light train, lb	. 296 100
Weight power plant and control, lb.	. 32 700 approx.
Including truck	. 48 738

^(*) This article should be considered as part of the report on Question IV (Rail motor cars) of the Agenda of the Paris Congress (June 1937), drawn up by Mr. E. Wanamaker, Electrical Engineer, Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railway. (Bulletin of the Railway Congress, April 1937, p. 857/1).

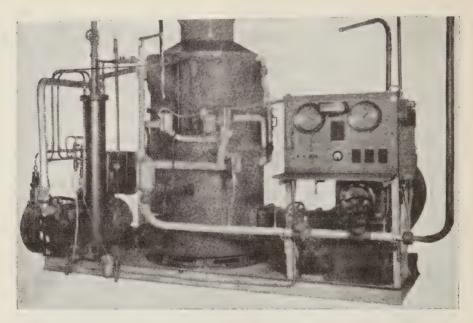


Fig. 2. — Boiler room units as arranged for testing.

The boiler is of the continuous-flow non-water level type. It has no drums nor headers, but is a continuous tube from inlet to the throttle; the water enters at the top and passes down through the pancake coils where it is heated and changed to steam, then through the helical coils at the bottom, surrounding the combustion space, and passes to the superheater coils, just above the fire-box, finally emerging as superheated steam.

The boiler is fully equipped with automatic safety devices to protect it against empty water tanks or other contingencies. It is 4 feet in diameter and 6 ft. 5 in. in height. The minimum tube diameters are 3/4 inch and the maximum tube diameters are 2 1/4 inch. The inner boiler casing is made of corrosion-resisting Inconel, and the outer casing, separated from the inner casing by insulating brick, is made of sheet iron.

The engines. — There are two direct two-cylinder compound engines each having cranks pressed on to extensions of the axle stub outside of the journal bearings. The high-pressure cylinder is 6 1/2 inches in diameter and the lowpressure cylinder is 11 inches in diameter. Both cylinders have a 9-inch stroke. These are conventional doubleacting compound engines, with piston valves. The crossheads are cylindrical in shape and are made of cast steel with babbited shoes. All bearings are of the roller type, and all working parts are machined all over.

The valve mechanism is a Stephenson link motion arranged to be operated pneumatically and to give two positions forward and two positions reversed. All piston and valve rods are made of Nitroalloy, and the wrist pins are of the full floating type, made of Nitroalloy running in phosphor-bronze bushings. The lubrication is accomplished by splash

within a sealed crank case, and in addition a circulating plunger pump is provided to assure lubrication at low speeds. The cylinder relief valves are air operated.

The burner is of the pressure atomizing type of construction. It automatically meters the fuel in proportion to the flow of air which is delivered by a multivane type blower. Adjustment is not necessary due to change of altitude or change in draft pressure, and the burner automatically compensates for changes in air flow caused by entering tunnels, high speeds, or cross winds, — in every case metering the correct amount of fuel. Ignition is secured by a high-tension electric spark.

Auxiliary engine. — The auxiliaries are driven by a two-cylinder 90-degree V-type double-acting steam engine. The two water pump drives are integral with the main crank shaft. The auxiliary steam engine drives the electric generator through V-belts. The generator supplies current for lighting and ventilating, and for the requirements of the power plant. The auxiliary engine also drives the air compressor and the forced-feed main-engine lubricators. This engine operates at a back pressure and exhausts into the train heating-line. When train heating is employed the power used to drive the auxiliaries represents only 2 % of the boiler output.

Condenser. — The condensers are of the fin and tube type, placed on the roof of the car. Propeller type fans driven by individual exhaust-steam turbines are located adjacent to the condenser cores on the roof and draw air through the cores, discharging it upward.

The turbine speed inherently varies in proportion to the steam flow producing the optimum relation between air flow and condenser load at all outputs.

Train controls. — The train has pneu-

matic duplicate controls so that it can be operated from either end.

Power truck. — The one-piece main frame weighs approximately 12 000 lb. The overall length is 17 ft. 8 in. and the total width over the cylinder lagging covers is 9 ft. 5 in., being well within the clearance diagrams of any railroad of the U.S.A. The wheel base is 11 ft. 6 in.,

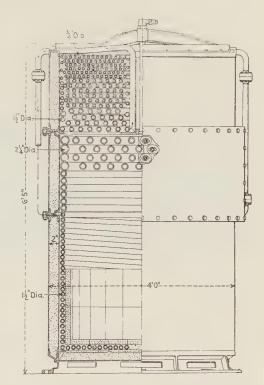


Fig. 3. — Cross section of boiler.

and Bethlehem low-carbon molybdenum wheels with chrome-vanadium axles are used.

The truck frame supports the car body through a conventional swing bolster and elliptical spring plank. Simplex clasp brakes are used, with two brake cylinders mounted on the truck. Westinghouse slack adjusters are provided, and there are two brake shoes on each wheel. The over-riding truck frame is a large four-legged spider, and the engine yoke frames, which ride with and take their alignment from the axles, are attached to the truck frame by ball joints. The total weight of the power truck is 35 000 lb. complete.

The manufacturers of this equipment state they have had no trouble with lubrication, condensers, or boilers.

They feel that the ensuing year will demonstrate the practicability of this form of power plant for rail service; in any event this power plant is well worthy the investigation and study of the railway fraternity.

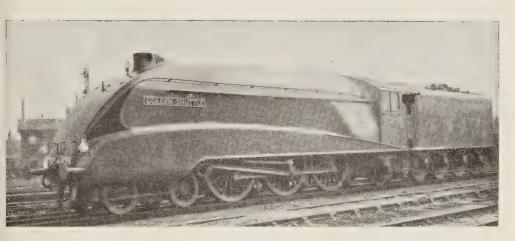
RECENT DEVELOPMENTS

IN RAILWAY PRACTICE.

[625, 232 (.42) & 656, 222.1 (.42)]

The "West Riding Limited" train for the West Riding-London high-speed service,

London and North Eastern Railway.



In continuation of their policy of introducing light fast trains between London and important provincial cities the London & North Eastern Railway Company, on Monday, September 27th, inaugurated a new high-speed service between the West Riding of Yorkshire and London, King's Cross.

The train provides an additional service in each direction and runs daily from Mondays to Fridays, leaving Bradford (Exchange) at 11.10 a.m., Leeds (Central) at 11.31 a.m., and arriving at King's Cross at 2.15 p.m. In the opposite direction the train leaves King's Cross at 7.15 p.m. and reaches Leeds at 9.53 p.m. and Bradford at 10.15 p.m.

The time taken for the journey between Bradford and London is 3 h. 5 m., giving an overall average speed in both directions of 63.3 m.p.h., whilst the non-stop journey between Leeds and London is performed in 2 h. 44 m. at an average speed of 67.9 m.p.h. The return journey between King's Cross and Leeds is traversed in 2 h. 43 m., at an average speed of 68.4 m.p.h.

As in the case of the « Silver Jubilee » and « Coronation » trains, the high average speed is attained by fast speeds up hill and not by excessive speeds on falling gradients.

The section timings and average speeds are shewn in detail in the following table:

Point to point mileages, running times and speeds. King's Cross, Leeds and Bradford.

Distanc	e from	Point to point.						
Brad	ford.	STATION	4	Time, Distance,			Speed,	
miles	chns.		Time,	miles	chns.	m. p. h.		
mites	chins.			a. m.				
		Bradford Exchange	dep.	11.10		2	()	20.0
2	0	Laisterdyke	pass.	11.16	6	7	40	40.9
9	40	Leeds Central	arr.	11.27	11			
			dep.	11.31	10	 5	20	94 5
14	60	Ardsley	pass.	11.41	10	5 4		31.5 47. 5
19	40	Wakefield Westgate	99	11.47	6		60 60	62.4
39	20	Doncaster	29	12. 6	19	19 17	27 3/4	
56	47 3/4	Retford	27	12.21	15		41	69.0
75	8 3/4	Newark	33	12.36	15	18		74.1
89	60 1/2	Grantham	19	12.48	12	14	51 3/4	73.2
118	68	Peterborough North	44	1.11 1/2	23 1/2	29 17	7 1/2	74.2
136	27 1/4	Huntingdon		1.26 1/2	15	26	39 1/4 76	70.0
163	23 1/4	Hitchin		1.47 1/2	21	14		77.75
195	42 1/2 17	King's Cross		1.58 1/2 2.15	16 1/2	17	19 1/4 54 1/2	64.29
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		King's Cross	dep.	7.10		•••		
17	54 1/2	Hatfield	pass.	7.28 1/2	18 1/2	17	54 1/2	57 3
31	73 3/4	Hitchin	"	7.39 1/2	11	14	19 1/4	77.7
58	69 3/4	Huntingdon	27	7.58 1/2	19	26	76	85.1
76	29	Peterborough North	**	8.13 1/2	15	17	39 1/4	70.0
105	36 1/2	Grantham	49	8 37 1/2	24	29	7 1/2	72.7
120	8 1/4	Newark	34	8.49 1/2	12	14	51 3/4	73.2
138	49 1/4	Retford	99	9. 4 1/2	15	18	41	74.0
155	77	Doncaster	77	9.19	14 1/2	17	27 3/4	71.5
175	57	Wakefield Westgate	*	9.38	19	19	60	62.77
180	37	Ardsley		9.44 1/2	6 1/2	4	60	43.8
185	57	Leeds Central		9.53	8 1/2	5	20	37.1
			dep.	9.57	***	0 0 0	***	0 1 0
193	17	Laisterdyke	pass.	10.10	13	7	40	34.6
195	17	Bradford Exchange	arr.	10.15	5	2	0	24.0

Overall average speed.

Bradford-King's Cross: 195 miles 17 chns. in 3 h. 5 m. = 63.3 m. p. h. Leeds-King's Cross: 185 miles 57 chns. in 2 h. 44 m. = 67.9 m. p. h. King's Cross-Bradford: 195 miles 17 chns. in 3 h. 5 m. = 63.3 m. p. h. King's Cross-Leeds: 185 miles 57 chns. in 2 h. 43 m. = 68.4 m. p. h.

Entirely new rolling stock for this service has been built at the Doncaster Works of the Company to the designs of the Chief Mechanical Engineer, Sir Nigel Gresley, C.B.E., to whom we are indebted for the present information.

Two new streamlined *Pacific* locomotives of the type used on the other L.N.E.R. high-speed trains have also been built at Doncaster, being similar in characteristics and appearance to the engines named after the Dominions, which are used on the « Coronation » expresses. The names chosen for these two engines are « Golden Fleece » (No. 4495) and « Golden Shuttle » (No. 4496).

The leading dimensions are as follows:

Length over buffers 71' 0 3/8".	
Weight in working order. 167 tons.	
Boiler pressure 250 lb. per sq.	in.
Diameter of driving	
wheels 6' 8".	
Cylinder diameter 18 1/2".	
Stroke 26".	
Tractive effort 35 500 lb.	

The corridor tender follows the general scheme of streamlining and carries 8 tons of coal and 5 000 gallons of water.

The train is streamlined throughout with india-rubber fairings covering the gaps between the carriages in order to reduce the wind resistance, and consists of four pairs of twin carriages, as shewn on the diagram, giving accommodation for 48 first-class and 168 third-class passengers, the total length over buffers being 530' 3 3/4".

The formation leaving London is as shewn below:

							Seats.	T	eigh C.	
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	en thir						15	74	11	2
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	first						24	00	10	alla.
	en thir						15	74	15	1
Open	brake	t.	hiro	ł.			30	1.2	1.0	
								278	3	3

The general layout of the train is similar to that of the « Coronation » trains, being composed entirely of open saloon carriages each 56' 2 1/2" long over body and 9' 0" wide over mouldings. Pullman vestibules and buckeye couplings in accordance with the Company's standard practice are provided at each end of the twin units.

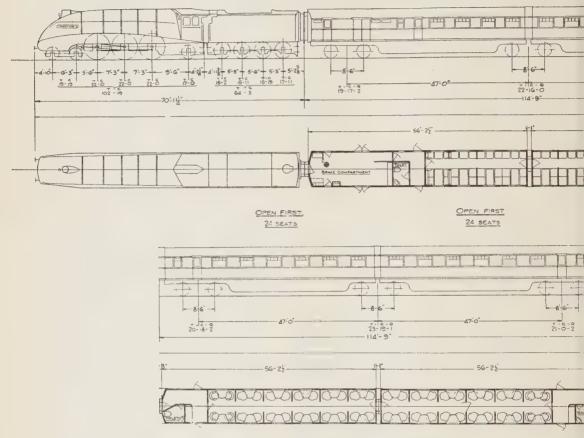
The whole of the seats throughout the train are numbered and may be reserved, and it will be seen from the layout of the train that no separate restaurant-car accommodation is provided and each passenger can, therefore, take meals at the seat which is allocated for the journey.

The exterior appearance of the train is of a striking character, the upper portion of the body side being in Marlborough blue and the lower portion in Garter blue. Synthetic paints have been employed throughout. Aluminium paint has been used for the roofs of the vehicles, whilst the skirting below the underframe and the bogies are finished in black paint.

The bodies of the carriages have been framed in teak and panelled with steel plates. All exterior fittings and mouldings are of stainless steel and the name « West Riding Limited » has been placed in stainless steel letters on the sides of each vehicle.

To ensure a quiet interior the whole of the body sides and roof are insulated with asbestos acoustic blanket. Special attention has been given to the floors. In addition to a 1/2" sheet of sponge indiarubber under the carpet and hair felt between the floorboards, the whole of the underside of each vehicle has been insulated by means of sprayed asbestos supported on dovetailed steel sheeting. The sound proofing has been further enhanced by the interior finish employed, the whole of the inner walls and ceilings being covered in Rexine. The windows are formed of double glass with an in-

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The « West Riding Limited »

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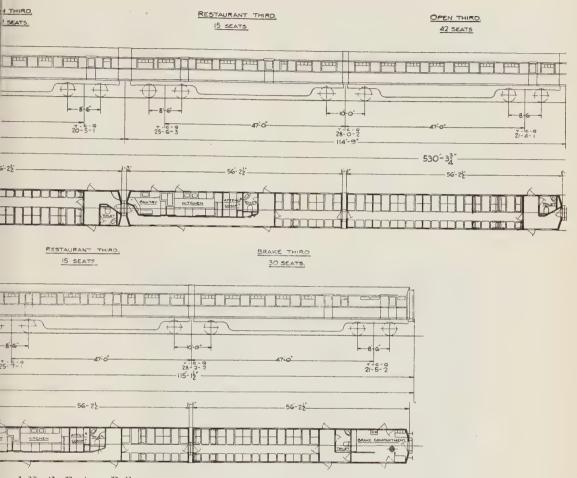
sulating space between. To exclude noise at the articulated ends, the gangways are lined with felt.

The bodies are mounted on steel underframes which have been fabricated by means of electric welding and comfortable riding has been ensured by the provision of compound bolster bogies.

Every effort has been made to provide the maximum possible comfort for the individual passenger. The arrangement of the interior of the train is unusual and gives the privacy usually associated with compartment carriages, whilst retaining the advantages and spaciousness of open vehicles.

The first-class saloons have been divided into sections by means of partitions, each section seating four passengers, two on either side of a central gangway, whilst the provision of ornemental screens projecting from the partitions gives an alcove effect.

Fixed tables are provided and the



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168 third class passengers.

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chairs are arranged to swivel, enabling the passenger to sit normally at the table at meal times and to turn away from the table when so desired. The tables are specially shaped to suit the swivelling chairs and the tops are covered with glass under which tapestry is placed to tone with the general scheme.

The decoration of the interior of the coaches reflects a marked advance on conventional practice and has been designed for the L.N.E.R. Company by Mr.

Murray Adams Acton of Messrs. Acton Surgey Ltd., 3, Bruton Street, London, W. 1.

The originality of the schemes precluded the use of more or less standardised designs of fittings. The small fittings, such as racks and lights, have been specially manufactured and designed in materials to suit the character of the decoration.

The freshness and pleasant atmosphere of the colour schemes, and the rest-

fulness of the seating and planning, in conjunction with the installation of a modern form of air-conditioning, provides a remarkable advance and improvement in travel comfort.

The details of the decoration in each of the saloons are given below.

The first-class cars are lined with Rexine, the surface of which has a texture giving a fine stippled effect in a blue colour with brown and silver Rexine below. The tones selected have been specially matched and prepared in the Rexine by Messrs. Imperial Chemical Industries Ltd. The lower portions of the walls are decorated by the application

of panels and ornamental features in Alumilited aluminium and the panels frame a special process of embroidery developed by Messrs. Acton Surgey Ltd. An Alumilited finish is also employed for the aluminium architraves at the doorways and for the decoration of the screens on each side of each doorway opening. The chairs are upholstered in blue uncut moquette, each chair being finished in blue braid; the carpet is of powder blue. Each window is framed in black ebonised woodwork and is provided with curtains of silk brocade suspended beneath the net rack, The rack is of aluminium, designed to harmonise



with the rest of the compartment and incorporates a light fitting at each end to give an individual light to each passenger. A further lamp in an Alumilited aluminium fitting is provided in the centre of each section.

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The third-class saloons are divided by cross partitions into sections of six, twelve or fifteen passengers each. The upper portion of the walls and the ceilings are covered in stone coloured Rexine and the lower portion in Rexine having a shagreen finish. The junction is covered with an ornemental aluminium fret, the Rexine under portions of the fret being picked out in crimson. The doors which are of the darker Rexine are outlined in crimson and decorated in aluminium. The upholstery is of fawn uncut moquette whilst green carpets are provided mounted as in the first class saloons on sponge rubber 1/2" thick. Four passengers are seated at one side of the gangway and two on the other in each section, and to facilitate movement in and out of the large seats the double tables are provided with hinged side flaps.

Lighting fittings similar to those in the first-class compartments are provided, one lamp being fitted in each pas-

senger section.

In order to facilitate the service of meals to all seats in the main portion of the train, two kitchens have been provided, each equipped with electric cooking apparatus of the most modern type specially designed for this service by Messrs. J. Stone & Co. and supplied by Messrs. Henry Wilson & Co. of Liverpool. The equipment in both kitchens is identical and consists of the main cooking range, comprising roasting and steaming ovens, two grills and a boiling table having four hot plates. A separate fish fryer is also provided and a vegetable boiler is arranged near the electrically heated sinks on the body side. automatic water boiler including coffee and milk urn, manufactured by Messrs. W. M. Still & Co., is arranged alongside the hot cupboard on the corridor partition and an automatic refrigerator, having separate compartments for iced wines, butter, cheese and general provisions, is also fitted.

The necessary power is obtained from two 10-kw. axle-driven generators suspended under each kitchen car in accordance with the L.N.E. standard practice and supplies power at 180-220 volts. An Exide-Ironclad double battery of 210 ampere-hours capacity is provided on each car for use when the train is standing.

The usual pantry accommodation is provided and in this connection it should be noted that the table linen, glass, crockery and silver is of distinctive design in keeping with the special character of the train.

A particular feature of the whole train is the wide corridors and ample circulating space at the ends of the carriages, permitting easy circulation of passengers joining and leaving, and recognising that passengers travelling on these trains will take more luggage than that required for shorter journeys, luggage racks have been provided in the spacious entrance vestibules.

The first-class lavatories are decorated in stippled green Rexine, coloured washbowls and hoppers being provided to match. The fittings are chromium plated and a full length mirror is also provided. The hot water apparatus is heated by means of steam in the winter time, whilst in the summer, heat is obtained from an immerser heater supplied from the train lighting dynamos. The water supply to the washbowls is controlled by electrically-operated valves conveniently situated above the bowls. The floor is covered with Korkoid to match the walls.

The third-class lavatories are fitted in a similar manner, except that the prevailing tone is yellow.

The train is fitted throughout with a system of pressure ventilation and heating supplied by Messrs. J. Stone & Co., by means of which filtered air, heated to a comfortable temperature and thermostatically controlled, is supplied to the carriages at floor level, and grilles in the lighting fittings in the roof connecting with ducts leading to large extractor ventilators enable the air in

each vehicle to be completely changed every three minutes. Direct ventilation is also obtained by means of a sliding shutter ventilator above each side window.

The guards' compartments at both ends of the train are fitted with electric food heaters and the necessary switches for the control of the electric lights throughout the train.

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The "East Anglian" train for the Norwich-London service, London and North Eastern Railway.



On Monday, September 27th, a new fast service was inaugurated by the London & North Eastern Railway Company between Norwich and London, Liverpool Street, and an entirely new six-coach train has been built for this purpose at the York Works of the Company to the designs of Sir Nigel Gresley, C.B.E., the Chief Mechanical Engineer.

The train, which is named « East Anglian », runs daily from Monday to Friday in each direction, leaving Norwich at 11.55 a.m. and Liverpool Street at 6.40 p.m., completing the journey between the two cities in 2 h. 15 m. The overall average speed between London and Norwich, including a 4-minute stop

at Ipswich, is 51 m.p.h. and between London and Ipswich 51.6 m.p.h.

Owing to the difficult nature of the route between London and Norwich, it has not been possible for the train to be timed at such high speeds as to justify the cost of streamlining the whole train. It has therefore been decided to streamline the locomotives only. Two 4-6-0 engines of the B. 17 type have been streamlined for service on this train and named « East Anglian » (No. 2859) and « City of London » (No. 2870).

The section timings and average speeds are shewn in the following table:

Point to point mileages, running times and speeds. Liverpool Street and Norwich.

		e from				Point t	o point	
-	Norv miles	chns.	STATION.	a. m.	Time, minutes.		ance, chns.	Average speed, m. p. h.
-			Norwich dep.	11.55				
î	14	33	Tivetshall pass.		19	14	33	45.5
ı	34	27	Stowmarket	12.33 1/2	19 1/2	19	74	61.3
ľ	46	18	Ipswich arr.	12.46	12 1/2	11	71	57.0
			dep.	12.50	***			
	55	42	Manningtree pass.	1. 3 1/2	13 1/2	9	24	41.3
ŀ	63	24	Colchester	1.12 1/2	9	7	62	51.8
1	76	31	Witham	1.26	13 1/2	13	7	58 1
	85	17	Chelmsford	1.35	. 9	8	66	58.8
	94	63	Shenfield	1.46	11	9	46	52.2
	105	0	Chadwell Heath "	1.56	10	10	17	61.2
1	110	74	Stratford	2. 2	6	5	74	59.25
	114	77	Liverpool Street arr.	2.10	8	4	3	30.2
	Distanc	e from						
]	iverpoo	ol street.						
	miles	chns.		p. m.				
	,		Liverpool Street dep.	6.40			***	
	9	3 77	Stratford pass. Chadwell Heath "	6.48 1/2 6.56	8 1/2	4	3	28.5
	20	14		7. 9	7 1/2	5	74	47.4
	29	60		7.18	13	10 9	46	63.8
	38	46	Witham	7.13	9	8	66	58.8
	51	53	Colchester	7.40	13	13	7	60.4
	59	35	Manningtree	7.49	9	7	62	51.8
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	80	50	Stowmarket pass.	8.19	15	11	71	47.5
	100	46	Tivetshall	8.39	20	19	76	59.5
	114	77	Norwich arr.	8.55	16	14	31	53.5

Average speed.

Norwich-Ipswich: 46 miles 18 chns. in 51 minutes = 54.4 m. p. h.
Ipswich-London: 68 miles 59 chns. in 80 minutes = 51.6 m. p. h.
Norwich-London (overall): 114 miles 77 chns. in 135 minutes = 51.0 m. p. h.

London-Ipswich: 68 miles 59 chns. in 80 minutes = 51.6 m. p. h.

Ipswich-Norwich: 46 miles 18 chns. in 51 minutes = 54.4 m. p. h.

London-Norwich (overall): 114 miles 77 chns. in 135 minutes = 51.0 m. p. h.

A photograph of the streamlined locomotives is given herewith, the leading dimensions being as shewn below:

Each train comprises six vehicles weighing 219 tons and giving accommodation for 54 first and 144 third-class passengers, the total length over buffers, including the engine, being 439' 9".

The carriages are of the open type and include two kitchen cars, the formation leaving Liverpool Street being:

			Å	Seats.	W	t.	
					T.	Č.	Q.
Engine							
Brake third				36	32	5	0
Kitchen first				18	44	15	0
Open first .				36	33	5	0
Open third				48	32	5	0
Kitchen third				24	44	5	0
Brake third				36	32	5	0
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Each vehicle is mounted on a standard 60' 0" steel underframe, and is 61' 6" long over body and 9' 3" wide over handles. The vehicles are fitted with Pullman vestibules and buckeye couplers and are carried on compound bolsters bogies. The body framing and panelling is of teak, the exterior being finished in varnish in accordance with the Company's standard practice.

The layout of the train is as shewn on the diagram. The whole of the seats are numbered and may be reserved and every effort has been made to ensure the maximum comfort for the individual passenger. As the journey time between Norwich and London is comparatively short, it is essential that meals should be served as rapidly as possible, and it will be seen from the plan that as no

separate restaurant car accommodation is provided, the passenger can take meals at the seat which is allotted for the journey.

The scheme of interior decoration was designed for the Company by Mr. Murray Adams Acton of Messrs. Acton Surgey Ltd., 3 Bruton Street, London, W. The first class cars are lined with Rexine of a stone colour above the high waist line and with green Rexine below, the junction of the two colours being covered with strips of plain and gold coloured Alumilited Aluminium. The doors are covered with green Rexine outlined in red Rexine and decorated with ornemental features in Alumilited Aluminium.

The seats are upholstered in a deep rose and gold moquette, the floor being covered with a mulberry coloured carpet over a 1/2" thick sponge rubber underlay. Curtains in silk brocade are provided at each window.

A roof light in an Alumilited Aluminium fitting is placed in the roof over each section, and net racks are provided along the cantrail.

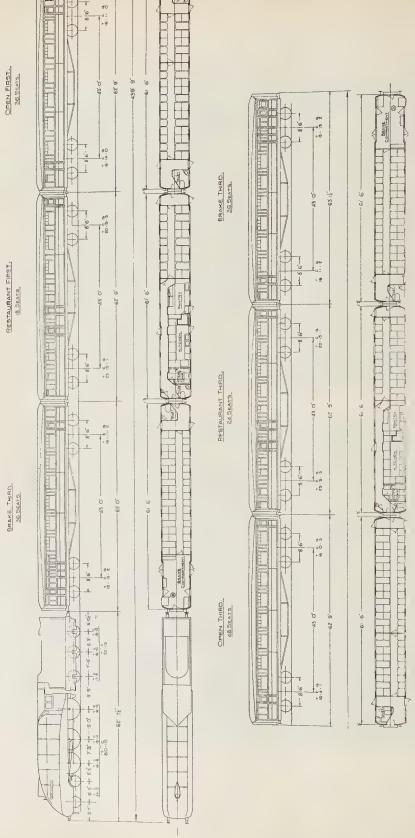
The third-class saloons are also decorated in Rexine, the colours chosen being a light stone colour above the high waist line with Rexine having a shagreen finish below. The junction of the two colours is covered by strips of Alumilited Aluminium, whilst ornamental designs in this material are also placed on the doors. A green aisle carpet is provided between the seats and the remainder of the floor is covered with green cork lino. The seats are upholstered in fawn uncut moquette to tone with the general scheme of decoration.

In both first and third-class portions of the train, the seating is arranged with two passengers on one side of the gangway and one on the other, and to facilitate movement into and out of the double seats, the tables are provided with hinged flaps.

Steam heating is fitted throughout the







The « East Anglian Limited », London and North Eastern Railway. Seats for 54 first class passengers and 144 third class passengers. Total: 198 passengers.

train, and large sliding shutter ventilators are provided above each of the large side windows; torpedo ventilators are also fitted in the roof.

To make the service of meals to all seats in the train as convenient as possible, two kitchens have been provided, each equipped with electric cooking apparatus of the most modern type designed and supplied by Messrs, J. Stone & Co., and Messrs. Henry Wilson & Co., of Liverpool. The equipment in both kitchens is identical and consists of the main cooking range, comprising roasting and steaming ovens, two grills and a boiling table having four hot plates. A separate fish fryer is also provided and a vegetable boiler is arranged near the electrically heated sinks on the body side. An automatic water boiler including coffee and milk urn manufactured by Messrs. W. M. Still & Co. is arranged alongside the hot cupboard on the corridor partition, and an automatic refrigerator having separate compartments for iced wines, butter, cheese and general provisions is also fitted.

The necessary power is obtained from two 10-kw. axle-driven generators suspended under each kitchen car in accordance with L.N.E. standard practice and supplying power at 180-225 volts. An Exide Ironclad battery of 210 ampere-hours is provided on each car for use when the train is standing. The usual pantry accommodation is also provided and in this connection it should be noted that the table linen, glass, crockery and silver are of distinctive design in keeping with the special character of the train. A particular feature is the wide corridors and ample circulating space at the ends of the carriages permitting easy movement of the passengers when joining and leaving the train.

The first-class lavatories are decorated in a blue Rexine fading out from dark at the bottom to pale blue at the ceiling. The wash basin and hopper are of white procelain, the interior fittings being chromium plated. The hot water apparatus is heated by means of steam in the winter time, whilst in summer heat is obtained from an electric immerser heater supplied from the train lighting dynamos.

The floor is covered with Korkoid to match the walls.

The third class lavatories are fitted in a similar manner, except that the prevailing tone is a biscuit colour, cream and brown Rexine, with the lower portion brown.

NEW BOOKS AND PUBLICATIONS.

[625. 44 (01]

Dr. Alexandre WASIUTYNSKI, Vice-Chairman of the Technical Council, Polish Ministry of Communications, Honorary Professor at the Warsaw Polytechnic School. — Recherches expérimentales sur les déformations élastiques et le travail de la superstructure des chemins de fer (Experimental research on the elastic deformations and reactions of railway track). — One volume (9 × 12 inches) of 136 pages, with 77 figures. — 1937, Académie des Sciences Techniques, Warsaw, Staszic Palace, 72, Nowy Swiat Street. — Librairie Dunod, 92, rue Bonaparte, Paris. (Price: 50 French francs.)

In the course of a long and brillant career as a Railway Engineer, Mr. Wasiutynski has endeavoured on various occasions to throw some light on the complicated problem of determining the elastic reactions of the permanent way under rolling loads.

As regards vertical static loads, the question has been the subject of exhaustive and somewhat theoretical studies by different authors.

The real difficulties of the problem arise when it is desired to take account of the dynamic factor in vertical loads, and these difficulties are accentuated when the action of horizontal, transverse and longitudinal forces and torsional stresses affecting the rails are entered upon.

Mr. Wasiutynski's first researches (1) date from 1897, when he published his paper on momentary deformations of the track, based on observations made on the Warsaw-Vienna line.

At the various Congresses of the International Railway Association, Mr. Wasiutynski was able to draw attention to the necessity for experimental research in order to determine with accuracy the conditions of stability and resistance of the track under the action of moving trains, and an important paper by him under the above title was recently published in the *Proceedings of the Warsaw Academy of Technical Sciences*.

Convinced that the ascertainment of track resistance was mainly a practical problem, Mr. Wasiutynski and his Polish collaborators submitted a section of track to the action of new types of locomotives introduced by the Polish State for the hauling of heavy passenger trains at high speeds.

The selected experimental section of track is situated between Warsaw and Pruszkow and lies on the straight with a slightly falling gradient.

For the purpose of these experiments, Mr. Wasiutynski used the photographic method already employed by him in 1897, whereby errors due to the effects of play and inertia in recording instruments are excluded.

His paper gives full details of the means employed to arrive at a high degree of precision, such as the improvements made in the photographic method and the measures taken for the construction of an observation post on foundations sufficiently insulated from the earth vibrations set up by the passage of trains.

The reader will be aware that experimental study of the track involves either the direct measurement of rail stresses from changes in the length of the fibres, or else observation of the elastic curvature of the rail, in particular the depression of its supports, by which means the reaction of the track under the influence of the applied forces can be theoretically determined.

This calculation presupposes a knowledge of certain co-efficients, in particular the co-efficient of the sleeper seating,

⁽¹⁾ Bulletin of the International Railway Congress, December 1898, p. 1475 and October 1900, p. 3313 (English edition).

the value of which must be accepted with caution and is discussed at some length in the paper.

The effect of moving loads on the rail supports, that is to say, the sleepers, ballast and formation, is also the subject of an exhaustive examination.

It will be recalled that the main conclusions of the paper appeared in the Note by Mr. Wasiutynski, appended to Mr. Lemaire's report on Question 1 of the Paris Congress, 1937, to which the reader is referred (1).

The paper also includes a very elaborate study of the stresses and elastic deformations of the track under vertical loads, and the results of the numerous experiments are shewn in tabular or graphical form.

The diagrams shew that the differences of deformation in the two hypotheses in which the rail is considered as a beam resting on isolated elastic supports or as beam resting on a continuous support, do not exceed 1/2 per cent, which corresponds to differences in rail stress of less than 5 %.

This finding is of the greatest importance, as it enables the calculations to be enormously simplified, and justifies the method recommended by the American Special Committee on Stresses in Railroad Track, also adopted by the Japanese Railways.

The experiments have shewn that there is no need to give too much weight to the speed factor, the effects of speed on the average depression of the rail being in general inconsiderable.

To limit the dynamic action of the wheels, concludes Mr. Wasiutynski, it is desirable:

(a) that the weight of the locomotive should be distributed over the wheels, taking into account the average overload of the main driving wheels and the trailing driving wheels;

(b) that the excess counterbalance

(c) that tyre flats should be limited not only with respect to depth but also with respect to length, which is the greater the more pronounced the flat.

These are the conclusions of a detailed examination of the method of construction of locomotives, a point to which the author attaches primary importance, as is evidenced by the following opinion expressed by him as far back as 1925 at the London Congress:

"A heavy overload on the permanentway may be produced by inequilibrium of the moving masses of the locomotive mechanism and also by badly constructed or badly adjusted springs, "

The experiments on the Warsaw-Pruszkow line have shewn that account must be taken of an increase in the static pressure of the wheels of close on 30 % at speeds of 80 to 110 km. (50 to 68 miles) an hour and of about 20 % at speeds under 80 km. an hour so long as the excess counterbalance and tyre flats are not excessive.

A further result of the perfected photographic method employed by Mr. Wasiutynski was the bringing to light and explaining of some very curious phenomena, such as, for instance, the time lag in the vertical deformation of the rail in relation to the moment when the wheel passes over, and the production of axial longitudinal oscillations of the rail by variations in tractive effort.

Finally, a section is devoted to the reactions of the rail compared with its depression, shewing the great influence of the lateral and torsional forces.

In conclusion, the highly interesting results obtained by Mr. Wasiutynski demonstrate the importance of the experimental method in ascertaining the deformations and reactions of a permanent-way equipment.

Up to the present, this has been the only method by which certain points in

weight should not be more than 10 %, and also be distributed over the driving wheels;

⁽¹⁾ Bulletin of the Railway Congress Association, October 1937.

this extremely complex question have been elucidated, the mathematical solution of which would have been, if not impossible, at any rate open to very grave doubts.

J. D.

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GERMAN STATE RAILWAYS. — Abstecken und Vermarken von Gleisbogen nach dem Winkelbildverfahren (Nalenz-Höfer Verfahren) (Pegging of railway curves by the angles diagram method. — Nalenz-Höfer system). — One volume (6 × 8 inches), of 188 pages with inset plates and numerous illustrations. — 1937; published by the Verkehrswissenschaftliche Lehrmittelgesellschaft m.b.H., Voss-Strasse, 6, Berlin, W.9. (Price: 2.20 Rm.)

The German State Railways have recently issued a manual dealing principally with the pegging of new lines and the adjustment and re-pegging of existing curves by means of what is known as the « angles diagram » method (Nalenz-Höfer system).

This subject was dealt with exhaustively by Dr.-Ing. Gerhard Schramm, Reichsbahnrat, in an article which appeared in the February, 1935, issue (English edition) of the Bulletin of the

Railway Congress.

Ordinarily, of course, curves are pegged out on the basis of different tangents, with the aid of trigonometrical tables. The disadvantage of this is the difficulty of obtaining accuracy when the curve is located in tunnels or deep cuttings or on high embankments.

In recent years methods have been devised whereby either an existing curve or a section of a many-sided polygon can be taken as a base line.

In France, the versines method has been employed for a long time, and an article by Mr. Chapellet on the subject of the systematic adjustment of curves by correcting the versines appeared in the November 1931 issue of the Bulletin of the Railway Congress.

In Germany the above-mentioned method of the « angles diagram » has been

resorted to.

The manual supplied to the staff by the Reichsbahn is of an essentially practical nature, the angles diagram system being explained in the form of fully worked-out examples and the principle being dealt with mathematically in an appendix, followed by an examination of the degree of approximation of the method and the limits of its application.

The various problems involved in track alignment are also treated, with numerous and clearly-explained examples, and the rules are given for determining the requisite amount of superelevation of the transitions, also the speed limitations for vehicles passing over curves.

It will be borne in mind that in Germany uncompensated centrifugal acceleration equal to a superelevation deficiency of 90 mm. (3 17/32 in.) is allowed.

A special chapter is devoted to S transitions (« doucines » : curves with points of contrary flexure) from circular curves to straight lines.

The reader will be aware that some Engineers are staunch supporters of the S curves for the transitions instead of linear variation, and that the question is highly controversial.

The Reichbahn favours the adoption of Dr. Schramm's S transition curve, composed of two parabolas of the 2nd degree, tangent to the middle point of the transition (1).

⁽¹⁾ Readers interested in the question are referred to the general study of transition curves published by Dr. Schramm in the Organ für die Fortschritte des Eisenbahnwesens, No. 10, 15th May, 1937.

Being mainly intended for the use of the permanent-way staff, the manual recently issued by the Reichsbahn also forms an excellent guide for the training of railway technicians.

J. D.

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ASSOCIATION OF AMERICAN RAILROADS (A. A. R.), SIGNAL SECTION. — American Railway Signaling Principles and Practices. — Chapter XXII: Manual and controlled manual block systems, and fundamental theory of direct current. — A pamphlet (8 × 6 inches) of 56 + 22 pages, illustrated. Published by the Signal Section of the A. A. R., 30, Vesey Street, New York, N. Y. — [Price: 35 cents (25 cents to members and railroad employees). Cost of the set of twenty-one chapters issued: 6.70 dollars (4.60 dollars to members and railroad employees.). Binder to accommodate 13 chapters: 1 dollar.]

There are three systems of block signalling employed in America: manual, interlocked and automatic. The latter was described in Chapter XV.

In the manual block system the signals are operated by hand, on information obtained from neighbouring signal boxes, but are not linked up with any special apparatus. Communication between the signal boxes is by telegraph or telephone, facilitated by the adoption of a special number communication code. The book gives an indication of the complete organisation, together with the majority of the regulations in force and the form of register in which the signalmen record all communications exchanged.

Under the interlocked system, known as the controlled manual block, corresponding with the lock and block in England, the signals are operated by hand but under the control of electrical and mechanical contrivances. In addition to the exchange of communications the signalmen have to operate a lever which releases at the other signal box the mechanism which controls the signal authorising the desired movement, and prevents a « line clear » indication being given for a train to proceed in the opposite direction.

Diagrams are included shewing in detail the electrical circuits between the signal boxes. Current also passes through continuous track circuits, so that signals cannot be pulled off unless the line is clear. The signal boxes may also contain mechanical or electrical interlocking frames for the operation of other signals.

The diagrams of circuits relate to single-line working. In the case of double-track operation the arrangements are similar, but in some cases train movements in the opposite direction are controlled by lock and block, whereas movements in the same directions are under automatic block.

The second part of the book gives the fundamental theory of direct current, and also deals briefly but effectively with magnetism, electro-magnetism and induction. The principles of single and multiple circuits in series and parallel are explained and applied to well-chosen practical examples. The authors have wisely kept to practical units, basing their definitions on the decisions comprised in the International system. The utility of this Chapter is enhanced by several tables : comparative resistance of various substances, conductor diameters and sections with permissible current, conversion table of various quantities expressed in mechanical, electrical and calorific units.

E. M.

OBITUARY.

Mr. Douglas VICKERS,

Director, London Midland and Scottish Railway, Member of the Executive Committee of the Permanent Commission of the International Railway Congress Association.



We heard with the deepest regret of the death, on November 23rd, at the age of 76, of Mr. Douglas Vickers, Director of the London Midland and Scottish Railway, and Member of the Executive Committee of the Permanent Commission of our Association.

He was the son of the late Colonel T. E. Vickers, Chairman of the firm of Vickers, Sons and Maxim, from 1873 to 1909, the name of which firm was changed to Vickers Limited, in 1911, and has long been famous for the manufacture of all kinds of armaments and steel construction materials. Mr. VICKERS was educated at Marlborough and was appointed a manager of the firm in 1889, and managing director in 1893. He succeeded his uncle, Mr. Albert Vickers as

chairman in 1918 and retired in 1926, only retaining a directorship in the Company.

Mr. Douglas Vickers took a deep interest in metallurgy; he made many valuable contributions to that science and was well known to the learned societies in Great Britain and elsewhere. He was a linguist of exceptional ability and travelled extensively. He founded the Douglas Vickers scholarship for employees of the works of Vickers Limited, and also a trust fund to be used for the benefit of elderly retired employees. In 1911, he provided funds to cover the cost of a trial of the tuberculin treatment for consumptives. From 1917 to 1926, he was treasurer of Sheffield University. was also chairman of the Carlton Main Colliery Company and the Parkgate Iron and Steel Company, and a director of the Sabinas Company and the London Midland and Scottish Railway Company.

He became a Member of the Executive Committee of the Permanent Commission of the International Railway Congress Association in 1930, on the retirement of the late Mr. Gustav Behrens.

Mr. Vickers took a deep interest in the work of our Association. He most regularly attended the meetings of the Permanent Commission and its Executive Committee, who much appreciated his exceptional business ability and genial disposition and on many occasions sought and welcomed his advice on various matters. He presided over the Meetings of the First Section (Way and Works) of the XIIth Session of the Association (Cairo, 1933) and also took an active part in the proceedings of the recent Paris Congress.

We wish to convey our sincerest sympathy to his family and the London Midland and Scottish Railway Company.

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1937

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1937

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1937

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1937

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1937

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1937

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1937

669 .1 (06

Engineer, No. 4243, May 7, p. 535; No. 4244, May 14, p. 558

Iron and Steel Institute. (12 000 words.)

621 .131.3 (.42) 1937

Engineer, No. 4243, May 7, p. 547.

L. M. S. Railway Dynamometer car trials. (3 200 words.)

624 .1 1937

Engineer, No. 4244, May 14, p. 556.

Sinking deep caissons by the sand-island method. (4 600 words & fig.)

621 .8 & 621 .9 1937

Engineer, No. 4244, May 14, p. 564.

SCHLESINGER (G.). - Machine tool electric drives. (1500 words, 10 tables & fig.)

621 .132.3 (.44) 1937

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A French streamlined Pacific engine. (200 words & fig.)

62. (01 & 669 1937

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669 .1 1937

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1937 621 .132.3 (.42)

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1937 62. (01 (06

Engineering, No. 3719, April 23, p. 460.

International Association for testing materials congress. (5 000 words.)

621 .31 (.42) & 621 .43 (.42)

Enpineering, No. 3719, April 23, p. 462.

Emergency generating set at Paddington station, Great Western Railway. (1700 words & fig.)

1937 624 .2

Engineering, No. 3719, April 23, p. 469.

HOPKINS (H. J.). - The solution of continuous girders by the relaxation method. (2000 words & fig.)

1937 62. (01 & 621 .43

Engineering, No. 3719, April 23, p. 475.

WILLIAMS (C. G.). - Factors influencing wear of valve seats in internal-combustion engines. (3 500 words & fig.)

1937

Engineering, No. 3719, April 23, p. 477.

Electric goods-handling trucks. (1000 words & fig.)

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Engineering, No. 3719, April 23, p. 478.

The third world power conference. (6 600 words.)

62. (01 1937

Engineering, No. 3720, April 30, p. 490.

The Smith wear and lubricant testing machine. (1000 words & fig.)

62. (01 & 669 .1

Enginerieng, No. 3720, April 30, p. 495.

High-tensile structural steels. (3 000 words.)

656 .212.6 (.42) Engineering, No. 3720, April 30, p. 506.

20-ton wagon tippler. (2200 words & fig.)

621 .131.3 1937

Engineering, No. 3721, May 7, p. 519.

Dynamometer-car trials on the London Midland & Scottish Railway. (1 300 words.)

1937 625 .172 (.42) Engineering, No. 3721, May 7, p. 530.

Weed-killing train on the Great Western Railway. (1600 words & fig.)

624 .62 (.73)

Engineering, No. 3722, May 14, p. 541.

The Lorrain-road viaduct over Rocky river valley, Cleveland, Ohio. (4 000 words & fig.)

1937 62. (01 (06

Engineering, No. 3722, May 14, p. 543. International Association for testing materials congress. (6 600 words.) (To be continued.)

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Engineering, No. 3722. May 14, p. 557. The flow of metals. (1700 words.)

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Engineering, No. 3722, May 14, p. 559.

The Iron and Steel Institute. (6000 words.)

1937 **656** .212.6 (.73)

Engineering, No. 3722, May 14, p. 566.

Centrifugal bulk-loading machine. (600 words.)

Engineering News-Record. (New York.)

625 .1 (06 (.73)

Engineering News Record, No. 13, April 1, p. 486.

More research planned at A. R. E. A. meeting. Expansion of research in the field of railway maintenance and construction planned for at the 38th annual meeting. Progress on current research reported. Problems connected with high-speed trains considered. (3 400) words & fig.)

1937 625 .1 (.73) Engineering News Record, No. 16, April 22, p. 577. MERCER (G. L.). - New rail link to Gulf completed. (2 600 words & fig.)

1937 **624** .8 (.73) ± Engineering News Record, No. 16, April 22, p. 583.

A record size bascule, (5 700 words & fig.)

Modern Transport. (London.)

1937 656 .1 (.42)

Modern Transport, No. 944, April 17, p. 3. ELLIOTT (H.). — Small consignments by road, (1900)

twords & fig.)

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South African transport conference. Train and truck control-acceleration. Railcar design — All-steel coaches - Gauge and track - Articulated locomotives. (3 000 words.)

1937 621 .132.3 (.42)

Modern Transport, No. 944, April 17, p. 7.

New 2-6-0 type locomotive for L.N.E.R. (800 words & fig.)

1937 621 .33

Modern Transport, No. 944, April 17, p. 9. FAIRBURN (C. E.). — Railway electrification. Incroduction of improved apparatus. (1700 words.)

1937 **656** .253 (.42)

(Modern Transport, No. 945, April 24, p. 3.

Resignalling of Leeds new station. Colour ligths and relay interlocking. (1600 words & fig.)

1937 **621** .33 (.68)

Modern Transport, No. 945, April 24, p. 5.

WATERMEYER (T. H.). - Railway electrification in South Africa. (4 000 words & fig.)

656 .25 1937

Modern Transport, No. 945, April 24, p. 9.

Power signalling. Automatic standby plant. (900) words & fig.)

1937 621 .33 (.44)

Modern Transport, No. 946, Mai 1, p. 3.

Railway electrification in France. Paris-Le Mans equipment. (1400 words & fig.)

1937 621 .392 & 625 .14 Modern Transport, No. 946, Mai 1, p. 4.

ELLSON (G.). - Welding of steel rails. (2000 words.)

1937 **625** .175 (.66) & **625** .232 (.66)

Modern Transport, No. 946, Mai 1, p. 5.

Inspection cars for Gold Coast Railway. Self-contained units for extended journeys. (1400 words & fig.)

1937

625 .13 (.42) & 625 .17 (.42)

Modern Transport, No. 946, Mai 1, p. 6.

The Mersey tunnel. Cleansing problems.

1937 **621** .131.3 (.42)

Modern Transport, No. 946, Mai 1, p. 8.

Dynamometer-car trials on L. M. S. R. St. Pancras to Leeds and Manchester. (1 400 words & fig.)

625 .23 (0 (.436)

Modern Transport, No. 947, May 8, p. 3.

KARNER (E). - All-metal coaches in Austria. Experiences on the Federal Railways. (1 400 words & fig.)

1937 656 .222 (.44)

Modern Transport, No. 947, May 8, p. 5.

French suburban train working, No. 1. - « Packet » operation from Bastille. (1500 words & fig.)

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Modern Transport, No. 947, May 8, p. 7.

GARDINER (R.) Transport progress in Scotland. Some features of the L. N. E. R. (2 300 words & fig.)

1937 656 .253 (.42)

Modern Transport, No. 948, May 15, p. 3

Relay-controlled signalling in Liverpool. (2400 words & fig.)

621 .43 (.42)

Modern Transport, No. 948, May 15 p. 5.

Diesel-engined industrial locomotive, (1 100 words & fig.)

1937 625 .232 (.42)

Modern Transport, No. 948, May 15, p. 6.

Composition of the L. M. S. Royal train, (2000 words & fig.)

Railway Age. (New York.)

1937 621 .132.8 (.73) & 621 .335 (.73)

Railway Age, No. 12, March 20, p. 468.

Steamotive unit, for turbo-electric U. P. locomotive. (3 200 words & fig.)

1937 625 .1 (06 (.73)

Railway Age, No. 12, March 20, p. 478.

Engineering officers meet at Chicago (abridged account of proceedings of thirty-eighth annual convention of A. R. E. A. (36 000 words & fig.)

656 .25 (06 (.73) 1937

Railway Age, No. 12, March 20, p. 505.

Signal section of the A. A. R. convenes in Chicago (abridged account of proceedings at the 43th annual convention). (Reports on economics effected by signaling, new aspects and rules for higher speeds, descriptions of modern equipment. etc.) (8 600 words.)

621 .135 (01, 625 .14 (01 & 625 .22 Railway Age, No. 14, April 3, p. 589.

TALBOT (A. N.). - The relation between track and rolling stock, (5 000 words & fig.)

1937 621 .139 (.73), 625 .18 (.73) & 625 .27 (.73)
Railway Age. No. 14, April 3, p. 594.

Supply work highly organized on Santa Fe. (2800 words & fig.)

1937 625 .244 (.73)

Railway Age, No. 14, April 3, p. 599.

Automatic heating system for refrigerator cars. (1 200 words & fig.)

1937 385 .3 (093 (.73)

Railway Age, No. 14, April 3, p. 601.

I. C. C. celebrates its jubilee (50 years existence). (2 800 words.)

1937 621 .135 (.73) & **625** .21 (.73)

Railway Age, No. 14, April 3, p. 603.

SHEEHAN (W. M.). — Steel castings for high-speed railroad service. (4000 words.)

1937 625 .111 (.73)

Railway Age, No. 15. April 10, p. 626.

Southern Pacific improves Tehachapi line. (2 200 words & fig.)

1937 625 .245 (.73)

Railway Age, No. 15, April 10, p. 629.

Seaboard 70-ton hopper cars for handling phosphate. (1200 words & fig.)

1937 625 .23 (.73)

Railway Age, No. 15. April 10, p. 639.

New streamliners to have several innovations, (1 000 words & fig.)

1937 625 .111 (.73)

Railway Age, No. 16. April 17, p. 668.

Santa Fe completes Denver-Texas cut-off. (3700 words & fig.)

1937 625 .14 (01, 656 .222.1 & 656 .25 Railway Age, No. 16, April 17, p. 673.

SILLCOX (L. K.). — Time rules transport. (4 400 words & fig.)

1937 656 .1 & 656 .232 Railway Age. No. 16, April 17, p. 677.

WHITE (A. F.). — Costs to control competition. (3 200 words.)

1937 656 .257 (.73)

Railway Age. No. 16, April 17, p. 683.

Remote control on Pennsylvania. (1 100 words & fig.)

1937 656 .212.6 (.73) & 656 .213 (.73)
Railway Age, No. 17, April 24, p. 704.

Coal dumpers built by N. & W. embody latest improvements, (3 800 words & fig.)

1937 385. (072 (.73)

Railway Age. No. 17. April 24. p. 709.

Timken's research and test laboratory in new quarters, (1500 words & fig.)

1937 625 .162 (.73) & 656 .259 (.73)

Railway Age. No. 17, April 24, p. 719.

Illumination for grade crossings. (1 200 words & fig.)

1937 656 .261 (.73)

Railway Age, No. 17, April 24, p. 721.

Central Vermont features modern transportation, (2200 words & fig.)

1937 656 (.42)

Railway Age, No. 17, April 24, p. 726. Rail-Highway co-ordination succeeds in England. (1800 words & fig.)

Railway Engineering and Maintenance. (Chicago.)

1937 625 .143.4 (.73) & 665 .882 (.73) Railway Engineering and Maintenance, April, p. 265.

Butt-welds rails in 4000 ft. lengths for two tunnels. (4400 words & fig.)

1937 625 .142.2 (.73) & 625 .144.4 (.73)

Railway Engineering and Maintenance, April, p. 268.

Chesapeake & Ohio preframes and bores all treated:
timber, (4 300 words & fig.)

1937 614 .8 (.73)

Railway Engineering and Maintenance, April, p. 273.

PARIS (C. H.). — Measuring the human element in accident prevention. (4900 words & fig.)

1937 625 .14 (093 (.73)

Railway Engineering and Maintenance, April, p. 277.

NEWTON (A. W.). — Laying track in 1869. (5 300 words & fig.)

1937 625 .111 (.73) Railway Engineering and Maintenance, May, p. 335.

Santa Fe perfects curve-throwing technic. (4900 words & fig.)

1937 625 .17 (.73) & 656 .284 (.73)

Railway Engineering and Maintenance, May, p. 338.

O'ROURKE (G. M.), — « Through hell and high water ». (6 300 words & fig.)

1937 625 .154 (.73)

Railway Engineering and Maintenance, May, p. 345.

(RAMER (F. H.). — Mc Cready (W.). — What one railroad has learned about turntables. (4800 words & fig.)

1937 656 .259 (.73)

Railway Engineering and Maintenance, May, p. 348.

Builds slide detector fence of unusual design. (1 400 words & fig.)

1937 625 .143 (.73)

Railway Engineering and Maintenance, May, p. 349.

Rail production in 1936 at five-year high. (700 words.)

Railway Gazette. (London.)

1937 621 .132.1 (.42)
Railway Gazette, No. 16, April 16, p. 744.

British locomotives types — IX. London & North Eastern Railway. (Figures.)

1937 621 .132.6 (.43)

Railway Gazette, No. 16. April 16, p. 747.

Lübeck-Büchen Railway double articulated trains. (1000 words.)

1937 625 .231 (.42)

Railway Gazette, No. 16, April 16, p. 748.

New rolling stock for C. L. C. Liverpool-Manchester service. (1 400 words.)

1937 385 .4 (.42) & 621 .138 (.42)

Railway Gazette, No. 16, April 16, p. 749.

Reorganisation of the motive power department of the London Midland & Scottish Railway. — I. (3800 words & fig.)

1937 625 .232 (.54)

Railway Gazette, No. 16. April 16, p. 754.

New saloon coach for H. H. de Maharaja of Indore. (3 400 words & fig.)

1937 621 .132.3 (.42) Railway Gazette. No. 16, April 16, p. 758.

New 2-6-0 type locomotives, London & North Eastern Railway. (700 words & fig.)

1937 621 .132.1 (.42)

Railway Gazette, No. 17, April 23, p. 800.

British locomotive types X. London & North Eastern Railway. (Figures.)

1937 385 .4 (.42) & **621** .138 (.42)

Railway Gazette, No. 17, April 23, p. 803.

Reorganisation of the motive power department of the London Midland & Scottish Railway. — II. (2100 words & fig.)

1937 656 .253 (.42)

Railway Gazette, No. 17, April 23, p. 813.

Resignalling of Leeds new station, (2400 words & fig.)

1937 621 .132.3 (.42)

Railway Gazette, No. 17. April 23, p. 817.

New C-6-0 locomotives, Great Northern Railway. (600 words & fig.)

1937 621 .132.1 (.42)

Railway Gazette, No. 18, April 30, p. 845.

British locomotive types — XI. London & North Eastern Railway. (Figures.)

1937 385. (093)

Railway Gazette, No. 18, April 30, p. 847; No. 20, May 14, p. 936.

LEE (Ch. E.). — The evolution of railways. (8 200 words & fig.)

1937 385 .4 (.42) & 621 .138 (.42)

Railway Gazette, No. 20, May 14, p. 851.

Reorganisation of the motive power department of the London Midland & Scottish Railway III. (4000 words & fig.)

1937 621 .9 & 665 .882

Railway Gazette, No. 20, May 14, p. 861.

A new oxygen cutting machine. (600 words & fig.)

1937 656 .222.1 (∞)

Railway Gazette, No. 18, April 30, p. 865.

ALLEN (C. J.). — Railway speed developments in 1936. (2700 words, 8 tables & fig.)

1937 621 .13 (0 & 621 .131

Railway Gazette, No. 19, May 7, p. 894.

DIAMOND (E. L.). — Rejuvenating old locomotives, (2 200 words & fig.)

1937 621 .132.1 (.42)

Railway Gazette, No. 20, May 14, p. 935.

British locomotive types — XII Southern Railway. (Figures.)

1937 621 .132.3 (.44)

Railway Gazette, No. 20, May 14, p. 939.

Locomotive development in France, (1200 words & fig.)

1937 625 .143.1 (.42)

Railway Gazette, No. 20, May 14, p. 941.

Flat-bottom track on London Midland & Scottish Railway main lines. (500 words & fig.)

1937 621 .86 (.42)

Railway Gazette, No. 20, May 14, p. 944.

A simple and effective lifting device, (1000 words & fig.)

1937 625 .245 (.42)

Railway Gazette, No. 20, May 14, p. 945.

Great Western Railway vehicles for exceptional loads. V. (Figures.)

1937 621 .43 (.82)

Diesel Ry. Traction. p. 774, Supplt. to the Ry. Gazette, April 16.

Features of the hundred railcars for Argentina. (3 100 words & fig.)

1937 621 .253 (.73)

Diesel Ry. Traction, p. 778. Suppl. to the Ry. Gazette, April 16.

More 3 600 B. H. P. oil-electric locomotives (1 200 words.)

1937 621 .43 (.941)

Diesel Ry. Traction. p. 779, Supplt. to the Ry. Gazette, April 16.

Diesel-electric railcars for Australia. (2 300 words & fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.42) Diesel Ry. Traction, p. 782, Supplt. to the Ry. Gazette,

April 16.

Hydraulic remote control for railcar applications. (1400 words & fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.56)

Diesel Ry. Traction, p. 784, Supplt. to the Ry. Gazette, April 16.

Railcar operation in Syria. (2600 words & fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.54) Diesel Ry. Traction, p. 962, Supplt. to the Ry. Gazette, May 14.

Successful railcar operation on the Great Indian Peninsula Railway. (700 words & fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.931)

Diesel Ry. Traction, p. 963, Supplt. to the Ry. Gazette, May 14.

Modern railcar development in New Zealand. (1 200 words & fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.51)

Diesel Ry. Traction, p. 965, Supplt. to the Ry. Gazette, May 14.

A rebuilt railcar, Kowloon-Canton Railway. (500 words & fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.44)

Diesel Ry. Traction, p. 966, Supplt. to the Ry. Gazette, May 14.

4 000 B. H. P. locomotives for the P. L. M. Railway. (2 000 words & fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.81 & 656 .29 (.81)

Diesel Ry. Traction, p. 968, Supplt. to the Ry. Gazette, May 14.

A railcar shipment problem. (1 000 words & fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.73)

Diesel Ry. Traction, p. 970, Supplt. to the Ry. Gazette, May 14.

The Winton two-stroke Railway oil engines (2 200 words & fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.43)

Diesel Ry. Traction, p. 974, Supplt. to the Ry. Gazette, May 14.

Railcars for local traffic in Germany. (800 words & fig.)

1937 621 .335 (.44) Electric Ry. Traction, p. 878, Supplt. to the Ry. Gazette.

April 30.

Development of metadyne control in France. (1000 words & fig.)

1937 621 .33 (.494) & **625** .3 (.494)

Electric Ry. Traction, p. 880, Supplt. to the Ry. Gazette, April 30.

A notable mountain railway conversion. (1000 words & fig.)

1937 621 .33 (.46)

Electric Ry. Traction, p. 883, Supplt. to the Ry. Gazette, April 30.

Spanish railway electrification. (1 400 words & fig.)

Railway Magazine. (London.)

1937 385. (09 (.73)

Railway Magazine, May, p. 315.

ROLAND (E.). — Railway practice in the U. S. A. (3 500 words.) (To be continued.)

1937 625 .17 (.41)

Railway Magazine, May, p. 320.

Permanent way in the Free State. (1000 words & fig.)

1937 656 .222.1 (.42)

Railway Magazine, May. p. 322.

ALLEN (C. J.). — British locomotive practice and performance. (5 000 words & fig.)

1937 621 .132 (.41) & 625 .232 (.41) Railway Magazine, May, p. 335.

New rolling stock, G. S. R. (800 words & fig.)

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1937 621 .132.1 (.42)

Railway Magazine, May, p. 341.

NOCK (O. S.). — The locomotives of the L.M.S.R., N.C.C. Section — Part I. (3500 words & fig.) (To be continued.)

1937 621 .132.3 (.42)

Railway Magazine, May, p. 351.

New 2-6-0 locomotive, L.N.E.R. (150 words & fig.)

1937 385. (091 (.42)

Railway Magazine, May, p. 353.

The Irish international main line. (3 000 words & fig.)

Railway Mechanical Engineer. (Philadelphia.)

1937 621 ,132.3 (.73)

Railway Mechanical Engineer, April, p. 149.

Pacific coast streamliners. (1 400 words & fig.)

1937 625 .253 (.73) Railway Mechanical Engineer, April, p. 153.

Union Pacific streamliner brake trials. (5 300 words, 3 tables & fig.)

1937 621 .132.5 (.73)

Railway Mechanical Engineer. April, p. 160.

High-speed freight power. (2 100 words & fig.)

1937 621 .133.7 (.73)
Railway Mechanical Engineer, April, p. 164.

Injector operated by single control. (800 words &

1937 621 .43 (.73)

Railway Mechanical Engineer, April, p. 165.

Timken fuel-injection pump for Diesel engines. (1300 words & fig.)

1937 621 .133.7 (.73)

Railway Mechanical Engineer, April. p. 167.

The Hancock turbo-injector, (1400 words & fig.)

1937 625 .214 (.73)

Railway Mechanical Engineer, April, p. 169.

Magnus wick-type journal lubricator. (700 words &

Railway Signaling. (Chicago.)

656 .253 (.73) 1937

Railway Signaling, April, p. 215.

Color-light signals replace semaphores on Union Pacific. (3 400 words & fig.)

656 .259 (.73) 1937

Railway Signaling, April, p. 218.

Signaling eliminates platform maintenance. (2000 words & fig.)

656 .256.3 (.73) 1937

Railway Signaling, April, p. 221.

New automatics on the Chesapeake & Ohio. (3 400 words & fig.)

656 .25 (.52) 1937

Railway Signaling, April, p. 224.

Signaling in Japan. (Figures.)

654. (.73)

Railway Signaling, April, p. 227.

Typewriting by wire. (3 100 words & fig.)

1937 **656** .256.2 (.73)

Railway Signaling, April, p. 230.

Automatic interlocking at crossing of the Illinois Central and the Louisiana & Arkansas. (2 300 words & fig.)

South African Railways and Harbours Magazine. (London.)

1937 **621** .33 (.68)

South African Rys. & Harbours Mag., April, p. 428.

The advent of electric traction on the Witwatersrand. Steady growth of railway electrification in South Africa. (3 000 words & fig.)

The Locomotive. (London.)

656 .222.1 1937

The Locomotive, No. 536, April 15, p. 99. Speed. (1000 words.)

1937 621 .122.3 (.42)

The Locomotive, No. 536, April 15, p. 100.

Re-boilered « Lord Nelson » class engine, Southern Railway. (400 words & fig.)

1937 621 .132.8 (.42) The Locomotive, No. 536, April 15, p. 101.

4-6-4 + 4-6-4 Bever-Garratt locos., Sudan Railways. 3 ft. 6 in gauge, (1500 words & fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.44)

The Lokomotive, No. 536, April 15, p. 106.

A standard railcar design for France, (700 words & fig.)

1937 625 .232 (.42)

The Locomotive, No. 536, April 15, p. 109.

Articulated trains for the L.M.S.R. (1200 words & fig.)

1937 625 .232 (.54) The Locomotive, No. 536, April 15, p. 110.

Saloon coach for the Maharaja of Indore, (2 300 words

& fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.85)

The Locomotive, No. 536, April 15, p. 115.

Railcar for the F. C. de Pisco A Ica Ry., Peru. (800 words & fig.)

1937 313:621.13(.42)

The Locomotive, No. 536, April 15, p. 116. Locomotive stock returns 1936. (1 100 words.)

The Locomotive, No. 536, April 15, p. 118.

The lining up of locomotive frames, cylinders and axleboxes. (1 100 words.)

1937 625 .252 The Locomotive, No. 536, April 15, p. 119.

The « Gresham-Dabeg » slack adjuster for brakes.

(1 600 words & fig.)

The Oil Engine. (London.)

621 .43 (.489) 1937

The Oil Engine, April, p. 356.

The first four-car Danish express trains. (1 000 words & fig.)

621 .43 & 621 .89 1937

The Oil Engine, April, p. 362.

BOUMAN (C. A.), — The deterioration of lubricating oil in service. (1800 words & fig.)

621 .43 1937 The Oil Engine, April, p. 366.

BÜCHI (A. J.). - Some features of the Büchi exhaust turbo-charging system. (1500 words & fig.)

The Oil Engine, April, p. 374.

Six more railcars for Australia. (1000 words & fig.)

621 .43 (.62) 1937

The Oil Engine, April, p. 375.

DÉRI (G.). - Egypt's latest railcars. (600 words & fig.)

The World's Carriers and Carrying Trades' Review. (London.)

656 (.42) 1937

The World's Carriers and Carrying Traders' Review, No. 391, April 15, p. 279.

HALLIWEL (D.). - Co-ordination of railway and road transport of merchandise traffic. (1700 words.)

Transit Journal. (New York.)

621 .43 (.42) 1937

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London tries streamlined trains. (1 100 words & fig.)

625 .26 (.73) 1937

Transit Journal, April, p. 117.

Indianapolis lays out « Perfect » shops, (2 500 words & fig.)

625 .235 (.73) 1937

Transit Journal, April, p. 128.

Spray painting vehicle interiors. (1 400 words & fig.)

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Der Wettbewerb von Kraftwagen und Schienenweg im Mandatsgebiet Deutsch-Ostafrika. (4 200 Wörter & Abb.)

1937

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Zur Frage Eisenbahn-Kraftwagen. (900 Wörter.)

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OLOFSSON (C.). - Die Haftung für Güterverpakkung. (1900 Wörter.)

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Zeitung des Ver. mitteleurop. Eisenbahnverw., Nr. 28, 15. Juli, S. 504.

FÜRBRINGER (G.). — Die Transindonesische Eisenbahn, verkehrspolitisch gesehen. (1 400 Wörter & Abb.)

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Zeitung des Ver. mitteleurop. Eisenbahnverw., Nr. 29, 22. Juli, S. 513.

SOMMERLATTE. — Verkehrsfragen. (6700 Wörter & Abb.)

1937

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Zeitung des Ver. mitteleurop. Eisenbahnverw., Nr. 29. 22. Juli, S. 522.

Der Kap-Kairo-Weg. (2 000 Wörter & Abb.)

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Zeitung des Ver. mitteleurop. Eisenbahnverw.. Nr. 29. 22. Juli, S. 525.

Zur Frage Eisenbahn-Kraftwagen. (1 400 Wörter.)

1937

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REINBRECHT. — Nahverkehrsfragen des Ruhrbezirks. (4000 Wörter.)

1937

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Zeitung des Ver. mitteleurop. Eisenbahnverw., Nr. 30. 29. Juli, S. 538.

TISSOT van PATOT. — Ein Jahrhundert Regelung der Beförderung von Personen im Strassenverkehr in den Niederlanden. (3 200 Wörter.)

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1937

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WANNER (F.). — Die neue bundesrechtliche Ordnung des Automobiltransportes in der Schweiz. (4 200 Wörter.)

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1937

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MOORE (H. F.). — Third progress report on the investigation of fissures in railroad rails. (8000 words & fig.)

1937

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Facts and figures. — A statistical analysis of the costs in the generation of electricity in Great Britain. (1200 words & tables.)

1937

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1937

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1937

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Meters. A review of recent progress and present types. (4 300 words & fig.)

1937

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PHILLIPS (L. W.). — Progress in electrical instruments. (5000 words & fig.)

1937

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1937

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Natal Railways of South Africa. 25 new 1 200 h. p. Metrovick electric locomotives. (2 800 words & fig.)

1937

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1937 385. (061 .1

Engineer, No. 4250, June 25, p. 722.

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1937 621 .33 (.68)

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1937 536

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RUDORFF (D. W.). — The analysis of superheater problems. (4000 words & fig.)

1937 51. (08

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1937 614 .5 Engineer, No. 4251, July 2, p. 9.

Mosquito Control Engineering. (3 900 words & fig.)

1937 621 .33 (.42)

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The Southern Railway's electrified extension to Portsmouth. (3 800 words & fig.)

1937 656 .222.1 (.42)

Engineer, No. 4252, July 9, p. 39.

Test runs of « Coronation » trains. (3500 words & fig.)

1937 656 .222.1 (.42)

Engineer, No. 4252, July 9, p. 45.

High-speed trains. (1 400 words.)

1937 656 .25 (.42) & 656 .28 (.42)

Engineer, No. 4252, July 9, p. 45.

Railway signalmen's releases. (1 200 words.)

1937 621 .43 (.42)

Engineer, No. 4252, July 9, p. 52.

An oil-engined locomotive for the B. C. D. R. (700 vords & fig.)

1937 621 .132.3 (.42)

Engineer, No. 4253, July 16, p. 79.

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Mechanical and electrical traction equipments. (Enlish Electric Company.) (1 400 words & fig.)

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Defective permanent way. (900 words.)

1937

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BOYCOTT (G. W. M.). — Diving research and its application to Caisson and Tunnel Work. (2800 words &

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1937 621 .135.1 (.44)

Engineer, No. 4254, July 23, p. 107.

Locomotive air screen look-out. (500 words.)

1937 621 .138.5 (.42) Engineer, No. 4254, July 23, p. 109.

Locomotive weighing machines on the L. N. E. R. (900 words & fig.)

1937 656 .25 (.42)

Engineer, No. 4254, July 23, p. 123.

Power signalling at New Station, Leeds. (4000 words & fig.

1937 656 .257

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Power-operated signal-boxes. (1200 words.)

1937 669 .3 & 669 .4 The Metallurgist, p. 33, Supplt. to the Engineer,

June 25.

Lead bronzes. (1800 words.)

1937 669 .1

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June 25.

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1937 62. (01, 621 .39 & 669 .1 The Metallurgist, p. 46, Supplt. to The Engineer,

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MONYPENNY (J. H. G.). — The use of polarised light in the microscopical examination of iron and steel. (3 000 words.)

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The « Coronation Scot » express, L. M. S. Railway (2 300 words & fig.)

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The Iron and Steel Institute. Phosphorous in Low-Carbon and Low-alloy structural steels. Iron-carbon constitutional diagram. Alloys of iron research. Steels sheets containing copper, manganese, chromium, and phosphorous. (5 600 words.)

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June 18, p. 703.

YELLOTT (J. I.) and HOLLAND (C. K.). — The condensation of flowing steam; condensation in diverging nozzles. (4000 words & fig.)

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621 .137 & 656 .222

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p. 698; No. 3728, June 25, and No. 3729, July 2, p. 3. The International Railway Congress, Paris. (21 000 words.)

1937 62. (01 & 669

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1937 62. (01

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KOMMERS (J. B.). — Overstressing and understressing in fatigue. (7 000 words & tables.)

621 .43

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Internal-combustion engines for alternative fuels. (3 400 words & fig.)

1937 621 .43

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WELTER (G.) and BUKALSKI (A.). - The effect of vibrations on the tensile properties of metals. (2 300 words & fig.)

621 .132.3 (.42) 1937

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621 .33 (.42) 1937

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621 .335 (.68) 1937 Engineering, No. 3729, July 2, p. 23.

1 200-H.P. 0-4 + 4-0 electric locomotives for the Natal Railways. (1600 words & fig.)

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621 .132.3 (.42) & 625 .232 (.42)

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« Coronation » train on the L.N.E.R. (1600 words &

624 .2 1937 Engineering, No. 3731, July 16, p. 62, and No. 3733,

PROCTER (A. N.). - The solution of buckling problems by an approximate method. (4200 words & tig.)

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1937 656 .283 (.42)

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LEA (F. C.). — The effect of discontinuities and surface conditions on failure under repeated stress. (3 600 words & fig.) (To be continued.)

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1937

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1937

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BOWMAN (W G..). — Bridge building follows flood. 5 200 words & fig.)

1937

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1937

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1937 627 .82 (.73)

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1937 691 & 693 Journal, Institution of Civil Eng., No. 7, June, p. 272.

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KNIGHT (A. W.). — The design and construction of composite slab and girder bridges, (5 000 words & fig.)

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1937 625 .111 & 625 .22 Journal, Permanent Way Institution, April, p. 45.

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1937 621 .392 & 665 .882

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1937 621 .93 Mechanical Engineering, No. 6, June, p. 413.

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1937 625 .25 & 656 .222 .1 Mechanical Engineering, No. 7, July, p. 511.

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1937 621 .132.6 (.44) & 656 .222 (.44 Modern Transport, No. 951, June 5, p. 5.

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1937 656 (.8) 1937 625 .4 (.43)

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1937 621 .132.8 (.946)

Modern Transport, No. 952, June 12, p. 3.

Steam railcars for Tasmania, (1 000 words & fig.)

1937 **621** .335 (.73) & **621** .43 (.73) Modern Transport, No. 952, June 12, p. 8.

Diesel-electric express locomotives. Baltimore and Ohio units. (1 300 words & fig.)

625 .164 (.42)

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An L. M. S. protective structure. Avalanche tunnel. (600 words & fig.)

1937 385. (061.1

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621 .338 (.44) 1937 Modern Transport, No. 953, June 19, p. 3.

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621 .33, **656** .222 (.4) & **656** .222.1 (.4) 1937

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1937 385. (061.1 Modern Transport, No. 953, June 19, p. 5; No. 954, June 26, p. 13 and No. 955, July 3, p. 7.

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1937 385 .1 (.54)

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1937 **656.** (.43)

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1937 **656.** (.43)

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621 .33 (.43)

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621 .33 (.42)

Modern Transport, No. 954, June 26, p. 5.

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1937 **621** .43 (.43) & 625 .1 (.43) Iodern Transport, No. 954, June 26, p. 8.

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1937 625 .23 (.43) Modern Transport, No. 954, June 26, p. 16.

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1937 **621** .132.3 (.42)

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Streamlining of German steam-hauled trains. (3 000 words & fig.)

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621 .33 (.45) 1937 Modern Transport, No. 954, June 26, p. 36.

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621 .338 (.42) 1937

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1937 **621** .132.3 (.42), **625** .232 (.42)

& 656 .222.1 (.42)

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1937 313:658.28 (.42)

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1937 621 .43 (.42) Modern Transport, No. 956, July 10, p. 3.

Diesel-mechanical railcar development. (2 400 words &

1937 656 .222.1 (.42)

Modern Transport, No. 956, July 10, p. 4.

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1937 625 .232 (.42) & 656 .222.1 (.42) Modern Transport, No. 956, July 10, p. 5.

« Coronation » expresses on L. N. E. R. London-Edin-

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621 .132.6 (.43) Modern Transport, No. 956, July 10, p. 6.

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1937 625 .232 (.494) Modern Transport, No. 957, July 17, p. 3.

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621 .138.5

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656 .211 (093 (.42)

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656 .211.5 (.43) & **656** .254 (.43)

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Wireless equipment for station announcements. Loudspeaker installations on the Reichsbahn, (1800 words & fig.)

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62. (01 (06 (.73)

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Materials in the spotlight, (2 000 words & fig.)

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MACKEN (J. R.). - Economic life of a locomotive.

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Increasing locomotive mileage by short runs. (1300

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621 .94 (.42) & 625 .212 (.42.) 1937

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1937 385. (09 (.43)

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1937 656 .28 (01 (.43)

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Colonel Mount's Annual Report (Railway accidents (2500 words.)

621 .133.7 (.41)

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New 4-6-2 type express locomotives for India. (1: words & fig.)

625 .232 (.49

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Measured shovel packing, L. M. S. R. (1500 words &

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Ministry of Transport accident report. Derailment of h van at Barford, L. N. E. R.: March 18, 1937 (2 900) rds.)

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New bogies for coaches of the Swiss Federal Railways. 0 words & fig.)

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1937 385. (071.3 (.54)

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Walton training school, India. (5 figures.)

1937 621 .392 (.54) & 625 .13 (.54) Railway Gazette, No. 3, July 16, p. 120.

Bridge welding in India. (2 000 words & fig.)

1937 385 .1 (.54)

Railway Gazette, No. 4, July 23, p. 140.

The Wedgwood report on Indian State Railways (2 100 words.)

656 .21 (093 (.42)

Railway Gazette, No. 4, July 23, p. 147.

The Centenary of Euston. (1 000 words & fig.)

1937 **621** .132.3 (.438)

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New 4-6-2 type streamlined locomotives, Polish State Railways. (700 words.)

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DALZIEL (B. J.). — The design and operation of

capstans — I. (1700 words.) (To be continued.)

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625 .172 (.42) 1937

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New weed-killing train, Southern Railway. (1200) words & fig.)

625 .245 (.42) 1937

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1937 385. (064 (.44)

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Railways at the Paris International Exhibition, 1937. (1 200 words.)

656 .222.1

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656 .234

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The work of Cooke and Wheatstone. (Centenary of the first use of the electric telegraph on a railway in England,) (1500 words.)

1937 347 .763 (.42)

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1937 385. (071.3 (.42)

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words & fig.)

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& fig.)

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621 .335 (.41) & 621 .43 (.41)

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1937 621 .335 (.73) & 621 .43 (.43)

Another giant for the U.S. A. (1400 words & fig.)

621 .43 (.68)

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621 .43 (.495)

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1937 621 .335 (.68)

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ALLEN (C. J.). - British locomotive practice ar performance. (8 000 words & fig.)

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1937 621 .138.1 (.4)

Reorganisation of L. M. S. R. locomotive depart

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PEARSON (H. M.). — The Cambrian coast. (35)

621 .132.3 (.42) & 625 .232 (.4)

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1937 656 .211 (09 (.4)

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1937 **621** .138.5 (Railway Mechanical Engineer, No. 6, June, p. 282,

Combination lifter for locomotive parts. (500 vi & fig.)

1937 625 .232 (.73) ailway Mechanical Engineer, No. 7, July, p. 303. Lightweight cars for the Santa Fé « Super Chief ».

2 800 words & fig.)

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1937 621 .39 & 625 .26 ailway Mechanical Engineer, No. 7, July, p. 320. Electric furnace used in Sedalia spring shop. (1500 ords & fig.)

1937 621 .138.3 (.73) ailway Mechanical Engineer, No. 7, July, p. 322. GRAY (H. L.). - Typical engineered cleaning operaons. (1800 words & fig.)

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1937 **656** .254 (.73)

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1937 **625** .162 (.73) & **656** .259 (.73) Railway Signaling, June, p. 340.

Automatic gates and signals protect crossing on the L. & N. (1800 words & fig.)

1937 **625** .162 (.73) & **656** .259 (.73) Railway Signaling, June, p. 343.

BARTON (G. W.). - Modernizing crossing protection with new safety features. (2300 words & fig.)

1937 **656** .258 (.73)

Railway Signaling, June, p. 345.

Automatic interlockings on the Frisco. (1700 words & fig.)

621 .39 (.73) & 656 .25 (.73) 1937 Railway Signaling, June, p. 348.

MOORE (A. D.). - Relay contact test. (700 words & fig.)

1937 656 .254 (.73) Railway Signaling, July, p. 389.

C. T. C. in coaling-station territory. (4 100 words & fig.)

1937 **625** .162 (.73) & **656** .259 (.73) Railway Signaling, July, p. 397.

Crossing protection on the Monon, (1300 words & fig.)

625 .151 (.73) & 656 .257 (.73) 1937 Railway Signaling, July, p. 400.

Seaboard utilizes spring switches. (4500 words & fig.)

656 .257 (.73)

Railway Signaling, July, p. 405.

Automatic plant replaces mechanical interlocking. (500 words & fig.)

625 .151 (.73) & **656** .257 (.73) 1937

Railway Signaling, July, p. 406.

Spring switch at branch line terminus, (1300 words & fig.)

South African Railways and Harbours Magazine. (Johannesburg.)

1937 656 .26 South African Rys. & Harbours Magazine, June, p. 711. Where every day is washing day. (Cleaning and laundering plant, S. A. R. H.). (1800 words & fig.)

625 .143.4 (.68) & **665** .882 (.68) 1937 South African Rys. & Harbours Magazine, June, p. 771. Notes from the chief Civil Engineer's Department

S. A. R. & H. (Thermit welding of rails.) (2 000 words & fig.)

The Locomotive. (London.)

1937 385. (06 (.111)

The Locomotive, No. 539, July 15, p. 201.

The International Railway Congress. (1000 words.)

1937 656 .222.1 (.42)

The Locomotive, No. 539, July 15, p. 202.

Record trial run of the « Coronation Scot » train, L. M. & S. R. (600 words & fig.)

1937 621 .132.3 (.42) & **625** .232 (.42)

The Locomotive, No. 539, July 15, p. 203.

New « Coronation » trains: L. & N. E. Railway. (3 400 words & fig.)

1937 621 .132.3 (.42) & **621** .132.5 (.42)

The Locomotive, No. 539, July 15, p. 208.

4-6-0 mixed traffic locomotives, L. M. & S. R. (400 words.)

1937 621 .13 (0 (.42)

The Locomotive, No. 539, July 15, p. 209.

Merger of two famous locomotive firms. (2800 words.)

1937 621 .132.3 (.42)

The Locomotive, No. 539, July 15, p. 211.

4-6-0 streamlined locomotive French State Railways. (400 words & fig.)

1937 621 .131.2 (.42)

The Locomotive. No. 539, July 15, p. 212.

Locomotive centres of gravity. (200 words.)

1937 621 .33 (.42)

The Locomotive, No. 539, July 15, p. 214.

London and Portsmouth electrification, Southern Railway. (1700 words.)

1937 621 .132.3 (.42)

The Locomotive, No. 539, July 15, p. 216.

« Pacific » type locomotives, G. I. P. Railway. (500 words & fig.)

1937 621 .132.3 (.44)

The Locomotive, No. 539, July 15, p. 219.

New « Baltic » type locomotives, Northern Railway of France. (1400 words & fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.67)

The Locomotive, No. 539, July 15, p. 221.

Railcar for the Rhodesia Rys. (600 words & fig.)

1937 385. (09 (.492)

The Locomotive, No. 539, July 15, p. 222.

DERENS (L.). — The Dutch State Railways Company. (2 100 words & fig.) (To be continued.)

1937 621 .43 (.41)

The Locomotive, No. 539, July 15, p. 225.

Diesel locomotive, Belfast and County Down Railway. (1000 words & fig.)

1937 621 .132.1 (.41)

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REED (K. H.) and FAYLE (H.). — Recent developments of Irish locomotive practice, Great Southern Railways. (1 100 words & fig.) (To be continued.)

The Oil Engine. (London.)

1937 621 .43 (.44)

The Oil Engine, No. 50, Mid-June, p. 34.

The largest oil-engined locomotive. 4 400 b.h.p. unit to maintain speeds up to 85 m.p.h. on the Paris-Riviera route. (P. L. M.) (1800 words & fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.43)

The Oil Engine, No. 50, Mid-June, p. 38.

A new German Diesel express, (200 words & fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.42) The Oil Engine, No. 51, Mid-July, p. 66.

The manufacture of British Diesel rolling stock (2 200 words & fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.4

The Oil Engine, No. 51, Mid-July, p. 70.

Diesel rail traction on the Continent, (2 300 word & fig.)

1937 621 .43 & 621 . The Oil Engine, No. 51, Mid-July, p. 76.

Hyde TRUTCH (C. J.). — Electrical and mechanical transmission for Diesel traction. (3 000 words.)

1937 621 .43 & 621

The Oil Engine, No. 51, Mid-July, p. 77.

Transmission systems for Diesel locomotives and racars. (2200 words & fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.45)

The Oil Engine, No. 51, Mid-July, p. 81.

A 48-ton mixed-service locomotive. (800 words fig.)

1937 621 .43 & 6

The Oil-Engine, No. 51, Mid-July, p. 82.

Fuels for internal-combustion engines, (1900 wor & fig.)

1937 621 .43 (.42) & 656 .22 (.4 The Oil Engine, No. 51, Mid-July, p. 84.

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1937 656 .21 (.931) Modern Transport, No. 966, September 18, p. 3.

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1937 **621** .43 (.494)

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Diesel-engined railcars in Switzerland. (1 400 words & fig.)

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621 .135.3 Modern Transport, No. 966, September 18, p. 6.

Locomotive springs. Features of design. (1000 words.)

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625 .7 (.43) 1937

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(1500 words & fig.)

625 .235 (.42) Modern Transport. No. 967. September 25, p. 4.

L. N. E. R. « Coronation » expresses. (600 words &

1937 621 .43 (.82) Modern Transport, No. 967, September 25, p. 5.

Diesel railcars for Argentina, (2500 words & fig.)

1937 **624.** (.489)

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New Danish rail and road bridge, (1700 words & fig.)

656 .1 (.42) Modern Transport, No. 967, September 25, p. 9.

Present position of road transport, (2.500 words &

1937 621 .33 & 621 .43

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WALTON (J. B.). - Goods vehicle types compared. (2 000 words.)

1937 347 .763.5 (.42) & 656 .1 (.42)

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1937 656 .233

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1937

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1937

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1937

621 .132.8 (.73) & 621 .43 (.73)

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New motive power for Baltimore and Ohio Railroad. 2 200 words & fig.)

1937

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Iodern Transport, No. 970, October 16, p. 4.

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1937

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1937

621 .43 & 621 .89

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625 .246 (.73)

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621 .138 (.73)

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Maintenance of high-speed motive power and equipment. (3 400 words.)

656 .222.6 (.73)

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625 .232 (.73) 1937

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1937 656 (.73)

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621 .131.7 (.73)

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1937

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621 .132.3 (.73) 1937

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1937 625 .172 (.73)

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Spray cars embody noteworthy features. (1600 words & fig.)

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1937 656 .25 (.43)

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1937 621 .138.5 (.42) ailway Gazette, No. 11, September 10, p. 448.

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Peiping-Suiyuan railway. (2 100 words & fig.)

1937 621 ,392 (.42)

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1937 625 ,235 (.42)

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1937 656 .281 (.42)
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Ministry of Transport accident report. (4 600 words.)

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The Midland timetable organisation. (2 300 words.)

1937 388. (.42) & 621 .33 (.42)

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1937 656 .225 (.485) Railway Gazette, No. 13, September 24, p. 528.

Insulated containers in Sweden. — A new type of container for fish traffic designed for easy transport on the standard platform truck. (400 words & fig.)

1937 625 .215 (.42) Railway Gazette, No. 13, September 24, p. 529.

Bogie control gear for high-speed trains. — Special design on the Coronation Scot. L. M. S. R. (300 words & fig.)

1937 625 .232 (.54)

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Some new ideas in tropical restaurant car design. (400 words & fig.)

1937 656 .25 (.494)

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Automatic signalling in Switzerland, (700 words & fig.)

1937 621 .94 (.42)
Railway Gazette, No. 14, October 1, p. 553.

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1937 656 .23 (.4)

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WIENER (L.). — Tariff distances. (2 100 words.)

1937 621 .132.3 (.42)

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The West Riding Limited. New streamlined trains for high-speed London-Leeds-Bradford service, L.N.E.R. (1000 words & fig.)

1937 621 .132.6 (.439)

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1937 625 .144.4 (.54)

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Portable sleeper-adzing machine, Burma Railways. (400 words & fig.)

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656 .257 (.44)

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1937 625 .4 (.45)

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way Gazette, October 15. High speed multiple-unit trains. (300 words & fig.)

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PERKINS (T. R.). - In memoriam. The Bishop's Castle Railway. (2800 words & fig.)

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BARRIE (D. S.). - The locomotives of the L. N. W. R. 1897-1922. (3 500 words & fig.)

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621 .13 (06 (.73) 1937

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1937 621 .133 (06 (.73) Railway Mechanical Engineer, No. 9, September, p. 389. Master Boiler Makers Association, (1900 words &

fig.) 1937 625 .2 (06 (.73)

Railway Mechanical Engineer, No. 9, September, p. 393. Car department officers' meeting. (2000 words &

1937 625 .253 (.73) & 621 .138.5 (.73) Railway Mechanical Engineer, No. 9, September, p. 411. BIRCH (T. H.). - Devices for repairing AB brake valves. (1000 words & fig.)

625 .26 (.73) Railway Mechanical Engineer, No. 9, September, p. 412. Rebuilding gondolas at North Proviso. (900 words &

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Signal inspection bill passed by Congress. (1500 words.)

1937 656 .256.3 (.73) Railway Signaling, September, p. 506.

Rock Island installs automatic blocks. (4800 words & fig.)

1937 656 .253 (.54) Railway Signaling, September, p. 512.

Color-light signaling in India. (2400 words & fig.)

1937 385 .3 (.73) & 656 .254 (.73) Railway Signaling, September, p. 515.

Rock-Island train control petition denied: (1.500)words.)

1937 **656** .254 (.73) & **656** .256.3 (.73) Railway Signaling, September, p. 516.

A. P. B., remote control and C. T. C. on the Baltimore and Ohio. (5000 words & fig.)

654 (.73) 1937

Railway Signaling, September, p. 523. ROGERS (W.). — Teletype service on Missouri Pa-

cific. (1500 words & fig.)

1937 656 .254 (.73) Railway Signaling, September, p. 525.

Zephyr train telephones. (700 words & fig.)

1937 656 .258 (.73)

Railway Signaling, October, p. 565.

Remote control switch expedites trains at a junction on the Union Pacific. (2 100 words & fig.)

656 .254 (.73) 1937 Railway Signaling, October, p. 569.

C. T. C. on the Denver & Rio Grande Western. (3 500 words & fig.)

656 .254 (.73) & **656** .258 (.73) 1937

Railway Signaling, October, p. 573.

Romote control by Code. (2700 words & fig.)

656 .254 (.73) 1937

Railway Signaling, October, p. 576. Ends of double track controlled by C. T. C. (5000 words & fig.)

656 .254 (06 (.73) 1937

Railway Signaling, October, p. 585.

T. & T. convention at Chicago. (4900 words & fig.)

1937 656 .254 (.73)

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1937 **656** .254 & **656** .258

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Route control interlocking. — A new signaling development. (1900 words.)

The Locomotive. (London.)

1937 **621** .43 (.85)

The Locomotive, No. 541, September 15, p. 270.

Light-weight railcars, Central Railway of Peru. (2 100 words & fig.)

621 .132.5 (.51)

The Locomotive. No. 541. September 15, p. 273.

2-10-0 locomotive, Lung-Hai line, Chinese Govt Rys. (800 words & fig.)

1937 **621** .133

The Locomotive, No. 541, September 15, p. 276.

The « Velox » steam generator. (2000 words & fig.)

1937 **621** .335 (.44) & **621** .338 (.44)

The Locomotive, No. 541, September 15, p. 279,

New french electric trains. (800 words & fig.)

1937 621 .132.1 (.471)

The Locomotive, No. 541, September 15, p. 280,

Locomotives of the Finnish State Railways. (1600) words & fig.)

1937 621 .132.1 (.41)

The Locomotive, No. 541, September 15, p. 283,

REED (K. H.) and FAYLE (H.). - Recent developments of Irish locomotive practice, Great Southern Railways. (800 words & fig.)

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625 .242 (.42) The Locomotive, No. 541, September 15, p. 284.

Shock-absorbing wagons, L. M. & S. R. (1 000 words & tig.)

621 .13 (01 1937

The Locomotive, No. 541, September 15, p. 293, and No. 542, October 15, p. 323.

PHILLIPSON (E. A.). - The steam locomotive in traffic. (2700 words.)

625 .172 (.42) 1937

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Weed-killing train, Southern Railway. (900 words &

1937 621 .132.3 (.62)

The Locomotive, No. 542, October 15, p. 304.

4-4-0 passenger locomotives with Caprotti valve gear? Egyptian State Railways. (600 words & fig.)

621 .132.5 (.51) 1937

The Locomotive, No. 542, October 15, p. 305. 2-10-2 locomotive, Tientsin-Pukow Railway.

words & fig.)

1937 621 .335 (.42) The Locomotive, No. 542, October 15, p. 306.

New Russian electric locomotives. (1900 words.)

1937 621 .132.1 (.41)

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REED (K. H.) and FAYLE (H.). - Recent develop ments of Irish locomotive practice, Great Southern Rail ways. (1 400 words & fig.)

1937 621 .132.8 (.73]

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Sixteen-cyl. 4-8-4 locomotive, Baltimore & Ohio R. H (700 words.)

1937 621 .135 (0)

The Locomotive, No. 542, October 15, p. 314. Lateral thrusts at high speeds. (800 words.)

1937 621 .132.6 (.42)

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New locomotives for German secondary railways, (9) words & fig.)

1937 625 .232 (.42) & 656 .222.1 (.42)

The Locomotive, No. 542, October 15, p. 318.

The « West Riding Limited », L. N. E. R. words & fig.)

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The Locomotive, No. 542, October 15, p. 322,

The Marshall diesel tractor (adopted for shunting railway wagons). (600 words & fig.)

1937

621 .335 (.460)

The Locomotive, No. 542, October 15, p. 325.

Spanish electric locomotives. (1800 words & fig.)

1937

621 .135.3 & 625 .213

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SANDERS (T. H.), — The Belleville washer spring, (2 800 words & fig.)

The Oil Engine. (London.)

1937

536 & 621 .43

The Oil Engine, No 53, Mid September, p. 136.

Waste-heat recovery in oil engines. (1800 words &

1937

621 .43 (.44)

The Oil Engine, No. 53, Mid September, p. 142.

High speed on continental trains. Some recent diesel traction experiences. (900 words & fig.)

1937

621 .43 (.73)

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MANN (Ch. F. A.). - The new Rock Island Rockets. (800 words & fig.)

1937

621 .43 (.73)

The Oil Engine, No. 54, Mid October, p. 180.

900 H.P. turbo-charged shunting locomotive. (500)words & fig.)

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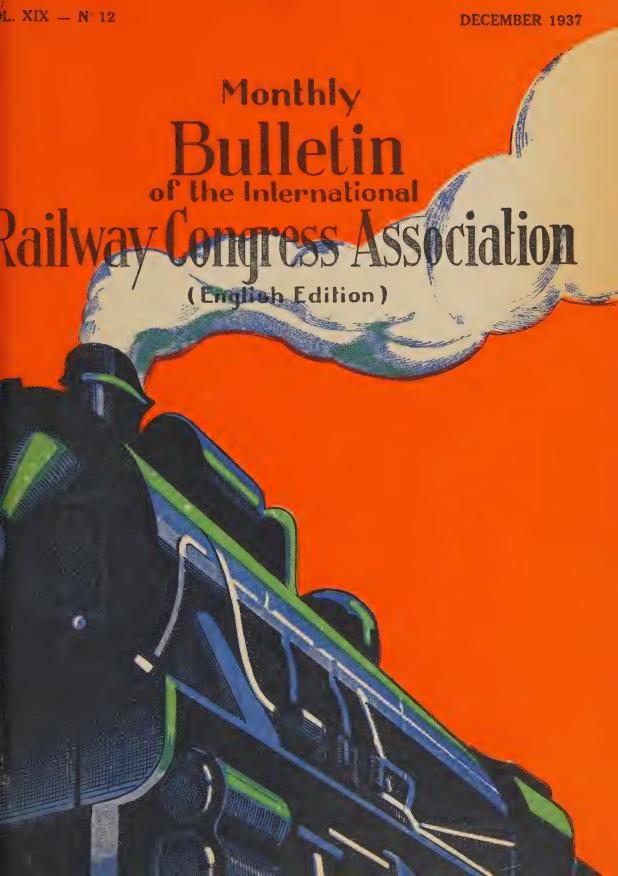
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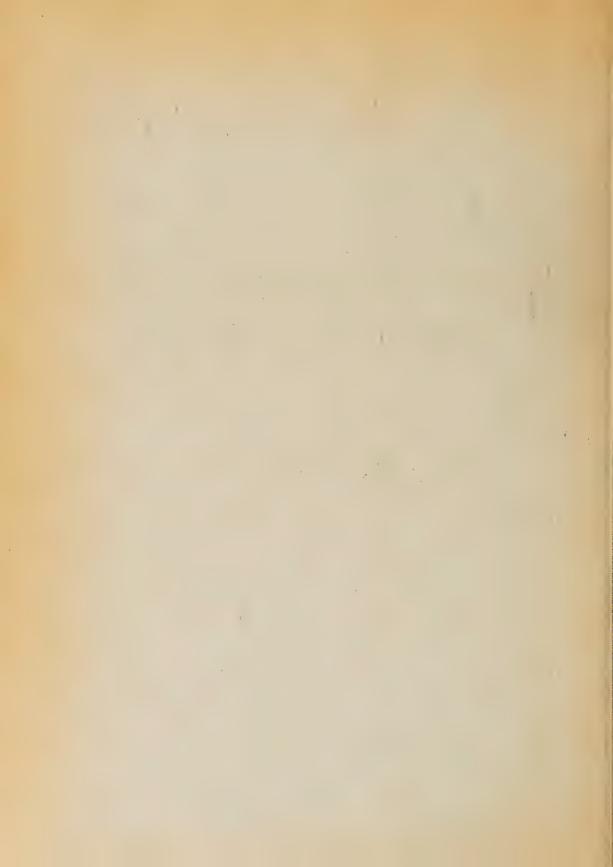
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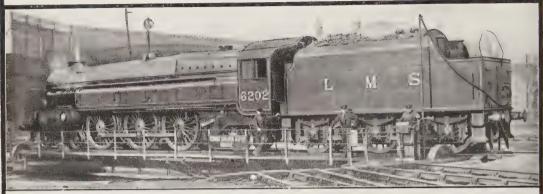
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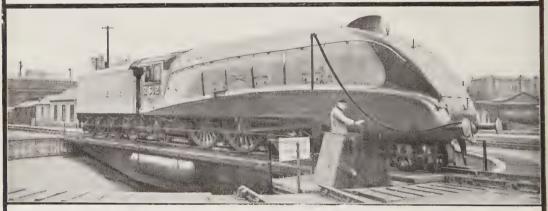
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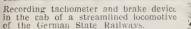
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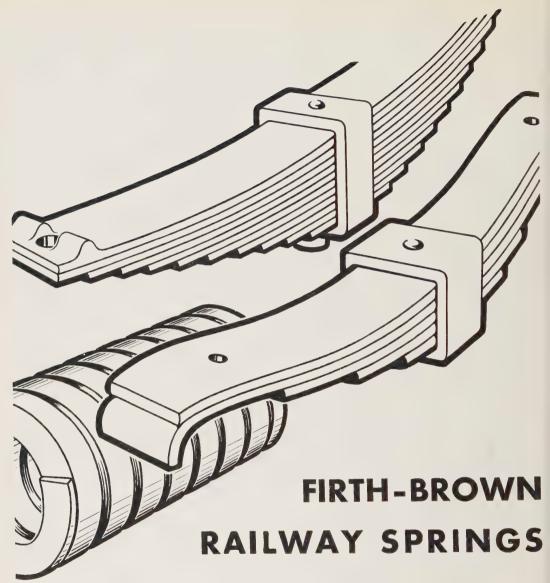
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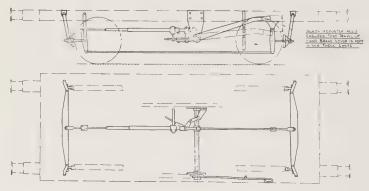
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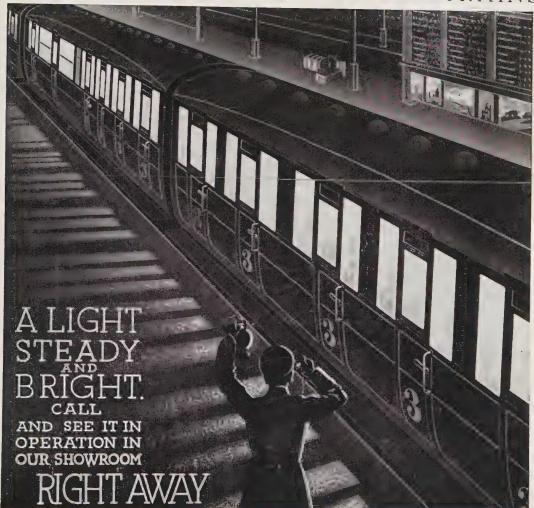
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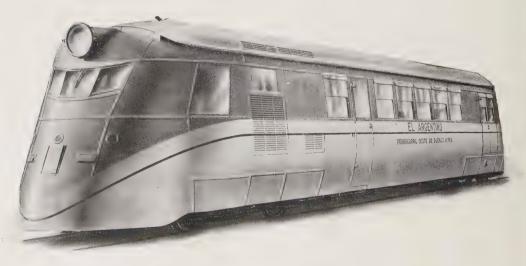
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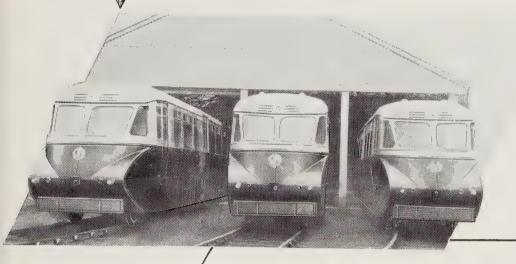




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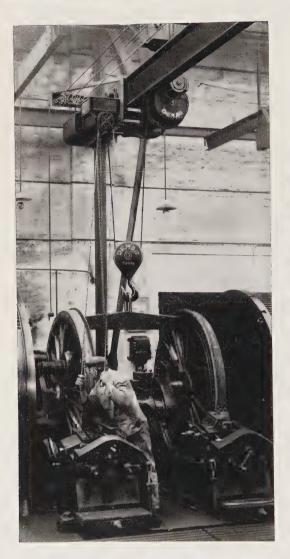
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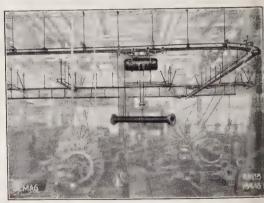


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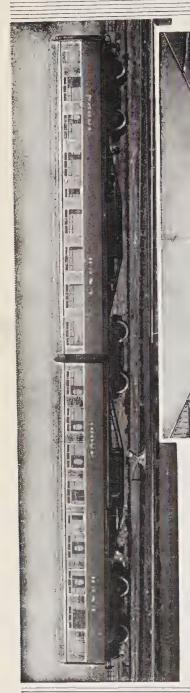
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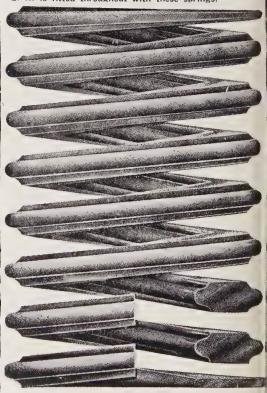
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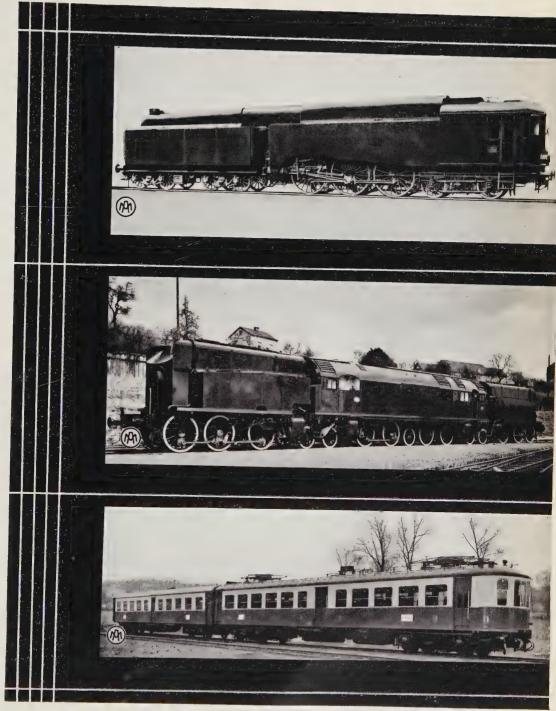


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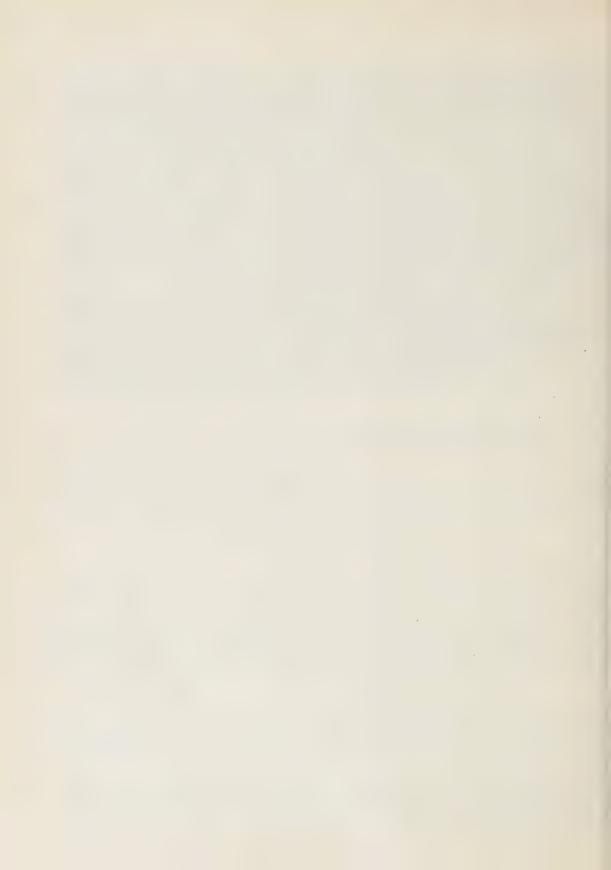
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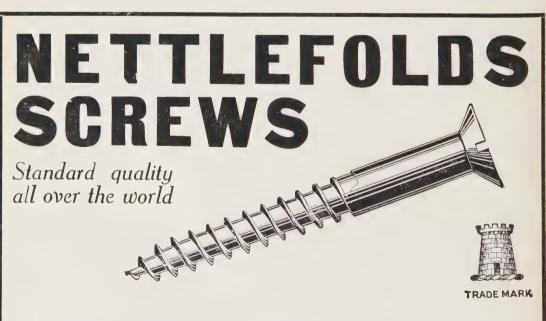
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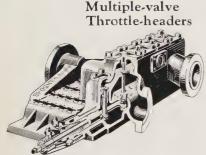
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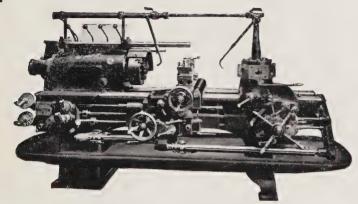


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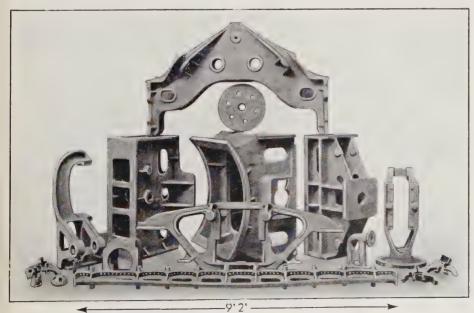
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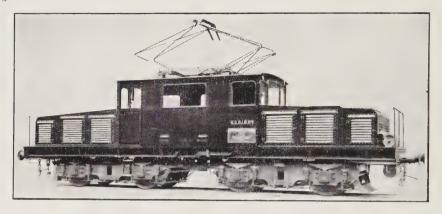
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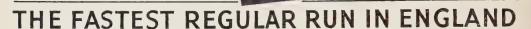
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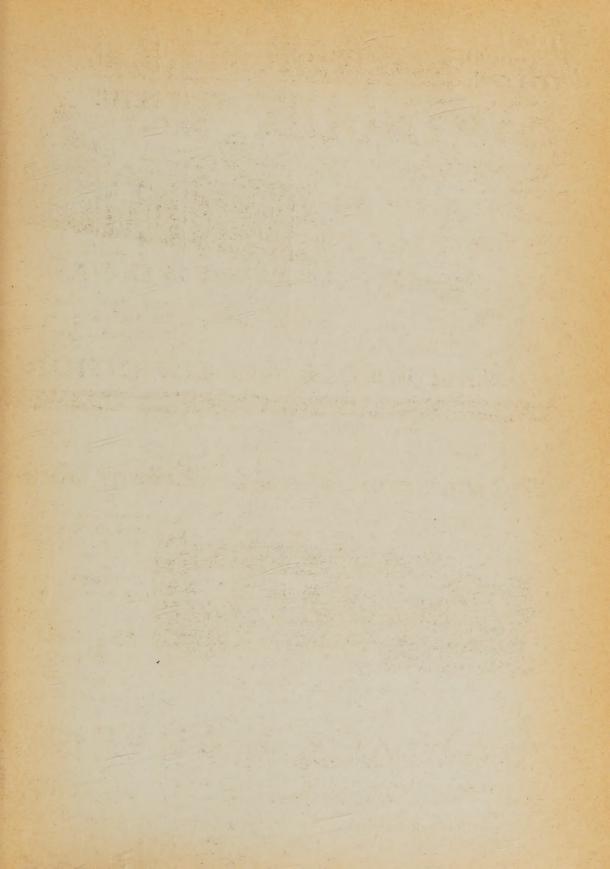
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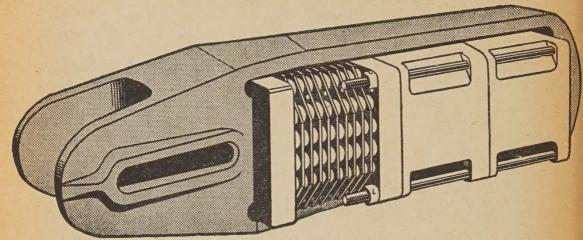
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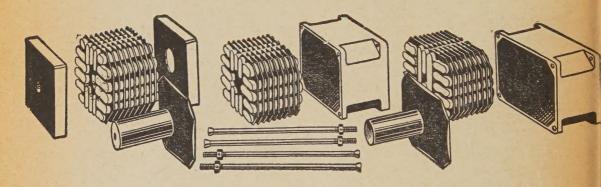


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